

# Rochester Numismatic Association Meeting Minutes



1932

R. N. A. MEETINGS			Prepared By	Robert	E.	Doty	04/03/2004
PRESIDENTS TERM		1932	01/01/1932	12/31/1932			
PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL YEAR & MEDAL NUMBER				1932	21		
PRESIDENT				Gustauf	J.	Lindboe	
VICE-PRESIDENT				John	W.	Sloane	
SECRETARY				Charles	W.	Foster	
TREASURER				Alphonse	A.	Kolb	
OTHER CLUB MEDALS		NONE					
MEETING PLACE =	Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, Edgerton Park						
MEETINGS 1st.& 3rd.	Tuesday	Tuesday					
	Month	Date	Date				
	JANUARY	5	19	Sun. 3 *			
* Banquet - 20 th. Banquet Hotel Rochester							
	mtg. #	455	456	455			
	FEBRUARY	2	16				
	mtg. #	457	458				
	MARCH	1	15				
	mtg. #	459	460				
	APRIL	5	19				
	mtg. #	461	462				
	MAY	3	17				
	mtg. #	463	464				
	JUNE	7	21	Sat. 4			
	mtg. #	465	466	1st. Outing			
	JULY	9 **	19	** Sat. 9 & Mtg			
	mtg. #	467	468	2 nd. Outing			
	AUGUST	2	16	Sat. 5			
	mtg. #	469	470	3 rd. Outing			
	SEPTEMBER	NO	20	9/5-9/10			
	mtg. #	MTG.	472	Hobby Show			
	OCTOBER	4	18				
	mtg. #	473	474				
	NOVEMBER	1	15				
	mtg. #	475	476				
	DECEMBER	6	20				
	mtg. #	477	478				
Lindboe PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL STRUCK BY Bastian Brothers Co. , Rochester, N.Y.							
Alphonse A. Kolb - Sculptor & Die Cutter - Obverse							
Joseph A. Koeb - Sculptor & Die Cutter - Reverse							
		Metal	Medals Made	Cost			
		Bronze		\$2.00			

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OFFICERS

of the

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

President: Gastav J. Lindboe

Vice-President: John W. Sloane

Secretary: Charles W. Foster

Treasurer: Alphonse A. Kolb



ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION.

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I. Name- This Association shall be known as the Rochester Numismatic Association Branch to the American Numismatic Association.

ARTICLE II. Object.- The object of the Association shall be to bring the Numismatists of this section into a closer union, to be cemented by bonds of goodfellowship; also that its members may write papers and give talks on coins at the regular meetings and do everything in their power to stimulate the science of numismatics.

ARTICLE III. Membership- Any person of good character who is trustworthy and approved by members of the Association, after a proper ballot, may become a member by paying into the Treasury the sum of \$2.00 yearly in advance, payable first meeting in January of each year, which with the initiation fee, shall be appropriated to defray the expenses of the Association, and no member who is in arrears for more than three months shall be permitted the rights of membership until such delinquencies are paid.

ARTICLE IV. Officers- The officers of this Association shall consist of a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, and an Executive Committee of three members to be elected as the members of this Association shall determine.

ARTICLE V. President- It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of this Association. to preserve order, to appoint all committees, and to assume such further duties as usually appertain to the presiding officers of assemblies.

ARTICLE VI. Vice-President- It shall be the duty of the Vice President to preside in the absence of the President, and during such absence, to perform the duties of that officer.

ARTICLE VII. Secretary- It shall be the duty of the Secretary to keep the minutes of the meetings of this Association, register the names of members, issue all notices required, and to do such correspondence as by resolution may be ordered.

ARTICLE VIII. Treasurer- It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep an account of all moneys received and expended and to report as to the condition of the treasury as often as shall be required of him by the Association.

ARTICLE IX. Executive Committee-It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to provide a place for holding the meetings of the Association to act as a committee on the Constitution and By-Laws and rules for the Association.

ARTICLE X Duration in Office-Each of the officers of this Association shall hold his office for the term of one year from the first meeting in January thereof. If any member shall take office at any time during the year, to fill the unexpired term of any officer, he shall hold that office to the end of the year.

ARTICLE XI. Election of Officers-The election of officers of this Association shall take place at the last meeting in December of each year. The officers so elected shall take their respective positions at the first meeting in January following.



ARTICLE XIII. Amendments- No alteration, either by addition or amendment of the constitution, shall be made without previous notice of one meeting when the change shall be indicated by resolution. This change shall come as a special order of business on the evening designated for its introduction and be then considered by the members present, who shall be a quorum of the entire active membership of the Association. A two-thirds vote in the affirmative being necessary to adoption.

ARTICLE XIV. Honorary Members- This Association, by a two-thirds vote at any quorum meeting, shall have power to admit persons as Honorary Members, who will be entitled to the privileges of the Association but shall not be amenable to the rules and regulations prescribed for a regular or active member.

ARTICLE XV. Quorum- A quorum shall consist of at least five members.

BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I. Meetings- This Association shall meet on the first and third Tuesday of every month for the transaction of such business as shall be up for consideration, in the order hereinafter named.

ARTICLE II. Dues- All members except honorary members, shall pay the sum of \$2.00 per year in advance, which, with the initiation fees, shall be appropriated to defray the expenses of the Association; and no member who is in arrears for more than one full quarter shall be permitted the rights of membership until such delinquencies are paid.

Section 2. Any member of the Association upon payment of Fifty Dollars may become a Life Member. And the proceeds from such fund be invested in securities considered safe for estates and savings banks.

ARTICLE III. Expulsions- Any member who shall refuse to confirm to the Constitution, by-laws and regulations of this Association may, by a two-thirds vote of a quorum meeting, be expelled, but no vote shall be taken without one week's previous notice of a resolution for such expulsion. When such vote is taken, the member under vote shall be heard in his own defense. In the event of such member not being present when cited to appear, and not giving satisfactory reason, he may be expelled by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

Section 2. If any member shall receive coins from any other member of this Association or any member of the American Numismatic Association, or any other person, and shall keep the same for two months without settlement, unless specific arrangements are made with the owner of the coins, he may be expelled by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

ARTICLE IV. Amendments- These by-laws may be amended by a majority, vote notice of such alteration or amendment having been given at a previous meeting.

ARTICLE V. Special Meetings- A special meeting of the Association may be ordered by the President upon the written request of five or more members.

ARTICLE VI. Voting- All voting for officers or members shall be by voice (or ballot, at the option of the members) the majority ruling.

ARTICLE VII. Committees- All committees ordered by a vote of the Association shall be appointed by the President; and all members appointed on said committees must act, unless excused by a vote of the Association.

ARTICLE VIII. Order of Business- The order of business for each regular meeting shall be as follows; unless by special vote or constitutional provision a change shall be made in this order, viz.:



ARTICLE VIII. Cont'd.

1. The call to order by the President.
2. Calling the roll by the Secretary, or his substitute, the Treasurer, in the Secretary's absence.
3. Reading the minutes of the previous meeting by the Secretary.
4. Verbal propositions for membership.
5. Voting for members proposed at the previous meeting.

Order of Business.

6. Report of standing committees; of the Secretary; of the Treasurer;
7. Report of special committees.
8. Special order of business.
9. Reading of paper on some coin subject, discussion of coins and exhibition of coins.
10. ~~Unfinished Business.~~
11. New business.
12. Adjournment.





One of the many interesting coins is that shown above, the Massachusetts Pine Tree Shilling.

It is interesting because it was one of the very first coins struck in this country. A bit of history concerning the mint master, John Hull, who was responsible for these coins is the fact that when his daughter was married he gave as the Dowry, his daughters weight in Pine Tree Shillings.

#### OFFICERS

President: G. J. Lindboe,  
210 East Ave.

Vice-President: J. W. Sloane,  
73 Evergreen St.

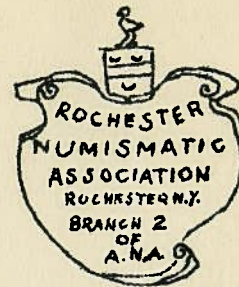
Treasurer: A. A. Kolb,  
453 N. Clinton Ave.

Secretary: Charles W. Foster,  
24 Astor Drive.

The Rochester Numismatic Association is a society composed of persons interested in the study and the collecting of coins, medals and paper money. The dues are \$2.00 a year, Junior Members (16 to 21 years of age) \$1.00 a year.

#### FEATURES.

The organization owns a collection of coins which is on exhibit in the Coin Room at the Rochester Museum of



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Arts and Sciences, Edgerton Park.

It has a numismatic library from which members may borrow books for study.

It strikes each year, a medal for its retiring President, and is probably the only numismatic society to have such a series or record.

#### MEETINGS.

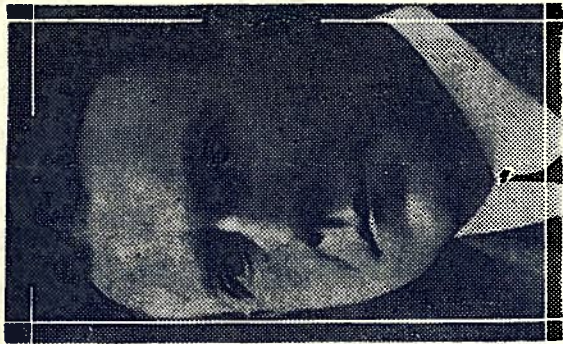
The Association holds its meetings the First and Third Tuesday Evening of each Month at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences.

The programs of these meetings consist of Papers, Talks, and Exhibits of Coins. An Auction Sale of Coins is a regular event on meeting nights.

In the summer meetings are held jointly with Outings at various places.

Visitors are Always Welcome.





**DR. GEORGE P. FRENCH**  
1865--1932

One of the greatest coin collectors that our United States has ever known. Dr. French was born in Rochester, New York, in 1865, and spent his entire life there.

He attended the Rochester schools and graduated from Columbia Medical College in 1888.

For over fifty years he was an ardent collector of United States coins specializing in U. S. Copper Cents.

During his life he formed many famous collections of the different denominations of U. S. coins.

His collection of U. S. Copper Cents was, beyond doubt, the finest ever assembled, consisting of 832 pieces, and was sold a few years ago to B. Max Mehl, for \$50,000.00.

Over eighty per cent. of the above collection, together with his collection of Half Cents, Half Dimes, Quarter Dollars and Jackson Hard Times Tokens are now in the collection of T. James Clarke.

Dr. French's cheery disposition and ready wit made him a favorite at any function he attended; and his passing is keenly felt by a multitude of friends from all over the world.

He was made an Honorary Life Member of the Chautauqua Coin, Stamp & Curio Club at their first Tri-State Coin & Stamp Convention in 1930.

**CHARLES L. BICKFORD**  
1882 - 1933

Mr. Bickford was born in Elyria, Ohio, in 1882.

He was Ex-President of the Western Reserve Numismatic Club, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Assistant Cashier of the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland.

He attended our 1932 Tri-State Coin & Stamp Convention, and his pleasing personality will long be remembered by those who knew him.

**EDSON J. WOODGATE**  
1868 - 1932

Mr. Woodgate had been a member of the Rochester Numismatic Association for many years.

He made a specialty of U. S. Half Dollars and owned a very fine collection.

He attended our Tri-State Coin & Stamp Convention every year since the first convention, in 1930.

Chautauqua Coin, Stamp, & Curio Club, Jamestown, N. Y.

THE ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

The 20th Annual Meeting and Banquet will be held Sunday, January 3, 1932, in the Club Room of the Hotel Rochester. Ladies are invited.

Installation of Officers and business meeting will be called at 3:30 P. M. and the banquet will be at 6:30 P. M. If you have not secured your ticket please call the Secretary.

NOTICE

The regular monthly meeting will be held Tuesday, January 5, 1932, at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences.

Charles W. Foster, Secretary



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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION.  
TWENTIETH ANNUAL BANQUET.

The Twentieth Annual Banquet was held at the Hotel Rochester on January 3, in nearly the same room where the Association was organized Twenty years ago on January 4, 1912.

The following members were present; W. H. Amberg, Leslie Leiss, Paul M. Lange, A. H. Plumb, Leonard L. Babin, B. Cabelka, A. A. Kolb, J. W. Sloane, Geo. J. Bauer, J. W. Horner, Chester A. Peake, A. J. Kaufman, G. J. Lindboe, Geo. P. French, L. J. Woolsey, Geo. A. Gillette, and Charles W. Foster.

The following Ladies were Present at the Banquet; Mrs. Geo. J. Bauer, Mrs. C. W. Foster, Mrs. Hart, Mrs. J. W. Horner, Mrs. A. A. Kolb, Mrs. A. H. Plumb, Mrs. J. W. Sloane, and Mrs. L. J. Woolsey.

At the meeting previous to the Banquet Mr. Geo. J. Bauer President to the American Numismatic Association acted as Installing Officer and very effectively installed the following as Officers for 1932.

President.	G. J. Lindboe,
Vice-President.	J. W. Sloane,
Secretary.	C. W. Foster,
Treasurer.	A. A. Kolb.

A motion was carried to officially thank Dr. Parker by letter for his co-operation in the past in securing a meeting place for the Association. Also a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Sunday and a committee was appointed to secure some slight token for Mr. Sunday in appreciation of his services in the past as Auctioneer at the Meetings. Prizes were present to the following for the best record of attendance for 1931; W. H. Amberg, A. H. Plumb, Babin, Leiss.

At the Banquet President Lindboe presented the following Charter Members with Card cases and Charter Membership cards as a slight token of the club's appreciation of their Twenty Years of service and consul. W. H. Amberg, Geo. P. French, F. E. Merritt, F. B. King, L. J. Woolsey, A. H. Plumb, G. J. Bauer. and to our one Honorary Member W. D. Horstman.

The Banquet program contained a picture of All of the medals struck by the Association in honor of the retiring Presidents, and a Brief history of the Association.

After many fine impromptu talks from nearly every member present the meeting was adjourned with a rising vote of thanks to the Banquet Committee. The Ladies were ~~allowed~~ to take home ~~their~~ given flowers and vases, and many of the other members took flowers home to their wives who had not been able to attend.

Charles W. Foster, Secy.





## PICTORIAL REVIEW

*Jan 31 92*

LINTON H. FRANKLIN SLOANE,

75 Evergreen Street,

Rochester, New York

*Mr Chairman & Members,*

*We the undersigned  
Auditing Committee, having  
examined the books of the  
treasurer, find the Annual  
report of the treasurer  
John Sloan to be correct  
and in order*

*Signed  
W. D. Linton  
Leslie Linn*

**ROCHESTER  
NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION  
TWENTIETH ANNUAL BANQUET**



**HOTEL ROCHESTER**

**JANUARY 3, 1932**



# INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS FOR 1932

President—G. J. LINDBOE  
 Vice-President—J. W. SLOANE  
 Secretary—CHARLES W. FOSTER  
 Treasurer—ALPHONSE A. KOLB

## MENU

### GRAPEFRUIT

CELERY                      OLIVES                      RADISHES

### CREAM OF CHICKEN SOUP

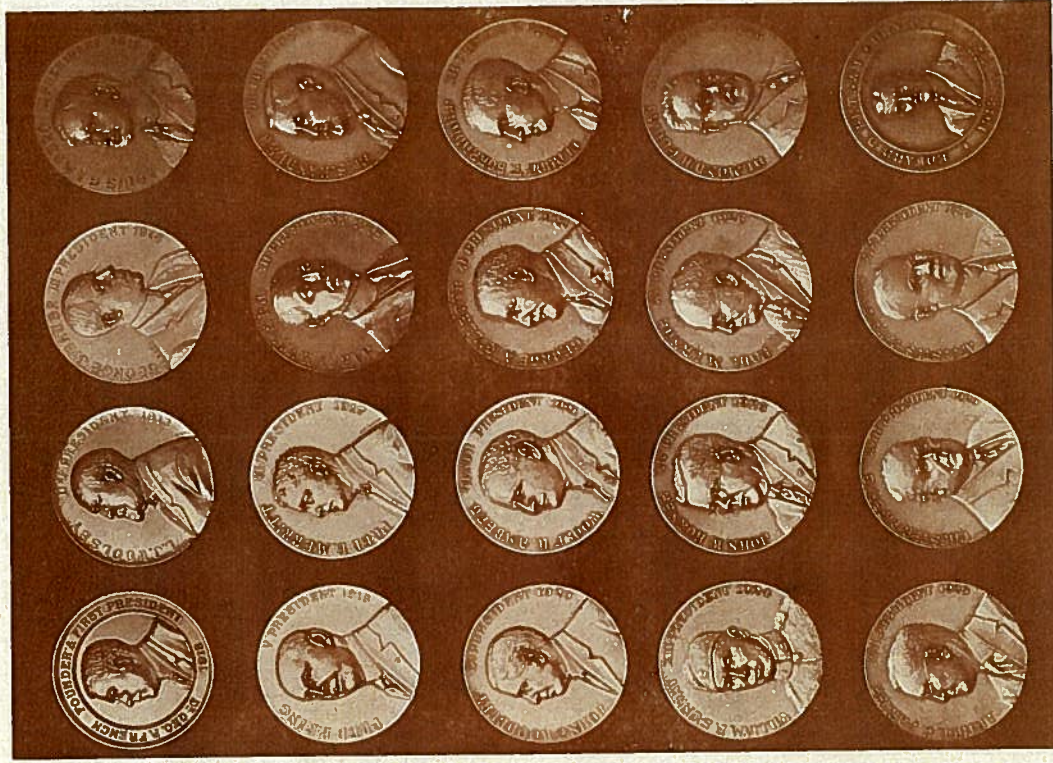
SIRLOIN STEAK WITH MUSHROOM  
 SAUCE

FRESH PEAS                      POTATOES

COMBINATION SALAD WITH RUSSIAN  
 DRESSING

### STRAWBERRY PARFAIT

CAKES                      COFFEE



## PRESIDENTIAL MEDALS

Medals struck each year for the retiring President and one memorial medal.  
 Note—The Kolb Medal was not finished in time to be included  
 in this picture.



## A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

The following Rochester Numismatists met at the Hotel Rochester twenty years ago on January 4, 1912, to arrange a local organization:

DR. GEO. P. FRENCH

MR. H. H. ROWLEY

MR. W. H. AMBERG

MR. F. E. MERRITT

MR. W. J. BALLARD

MR. F. B. KING

MR. L. J. WOOLSEY

MR. A. H. PLUMB

MR. M. S. GILLETTE

MR. I. B. BERNSTEIN

MR. G. J. BAUER

MR. H. H. YAWGER

MR. JOS. T. ALLING

MR. JOS. HOOPER

MR. W. J. REYNOLDS

The Rochester Numismatic Association was duly formed, and became Branch 2 of the American Numismatic Association almost immediately.

The R. N. A. was host to the American Numismatic Association's Annual Convention in 1912, 1917 and 1928.

The membership roll has always carried the names of men active in Numismatics and at present has a total of about 65 members.

The club has always had a medal struck for the retiring President each year, and it is believed to be the only numismatic society to have such a series.

The numismatic collection of the organization has been increased by leaps and bounds during the past twenty years and is located in a special room at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences. The collection has been called by museum authorities "The best collection located in a museum outside of New York City."

CHARLES W. FOSTER, Secy.



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Vice-President

J. W. Sloane, 73 Evergreen St.

Treasurer

A. A. Kolb, 453 N. Clinton Ave.

Secretary

C. W. Foster, 24 Astor Drive.

### MEETINGS

Are held the first and third Tuesday evening of each month at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, Edgerton Park.

These addresses are all in Rochester except where indicated otherwise.

### MEMBERS

1. Geo. P. French,  
15 Clifton St.

2. W. H. Amberg,  
17 Weld St.

3. F. E. Merritt, 169 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, N. Y.

4. F. B. King,  
24 Calumet St.

5. L. J. Woolsey,  
33 Vick Park A.

6. A. H. Flumb,  
24 Rowley St.

7. George J. Lauer,  
210 St. Paul St.

8. B. Max Mehl, Mehl Bldg.,  
Fort Worth, Texas.

9. Henry Chapman, 333 S. 16th St. Philadelphia, Pa.



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| 10. C. F. Clark,<br>Union St., Le Roy, N. Y.         | 20 Moritz Wormser, 95 Fifth Ave.,<br>New York, New York. |
| 11. Claude T. Borradaille,<br>76 N. St. Regis Drive. | 21. Paul M. Lange,<br>317 Flower City Park.              |
| 12. A. J. Kaufman,<br>63 Colgate St.                 | 22. A. A. Kolb,<br>453 Clinton Ave. N.                   |
| 13. J. C. Woodbury,<br>311 Powers Bldg.              | 23. Dr. A. C. Parker,<br>Roch. Museum of Arts & Sci.     |
| 14. John W. Horner,<br>112 Comfort St.               | 24. Emmet F. Peake,<br>168 Troup St.                     |
| 15. Geo. A. Gillette,<br>1016 Wilder Bldg.           | 25. Dr. Chester A. Peake,<br>163 Troup St.               |
| 16. Earl H. Potter,<br>R. D. # 2, Coldwater, N. Y.   | 26. Reed T. Chapin,<br>255 Oxford St.,                   |
| 17. George Haringx,<br>97 Aberdeen St.               | 27. G. J. Lindboe,<br>210 East Ave.                      |
| 18. George Schug,<br>296 Ave. A.                     | 28. C. A. Kuehne,<br>212 Woodstock Road.                 |
| 19. WM. F. Sunday,<br>151 Malling Drive.             | 29. M. E. Akely,<br>169 Gregory St.                      |

30. J. W. Sloane,  
73 Evergreen St.
31. Charles Marcus, 1513 W. 12th  
St., Davenport, Iowa.
32. W. E. Woolsey,  
27 Parker St., Fairport, N.Y.
33. Geo. H. Blake, 12 Highland  
Ave., Jersey City, N. J.
34. P. A. Katsampes,  
10 E. Main St.
35. C. D. Retan,  
61 Amsterdam Road.
36. Charles W. Foster,  
24 Astor Drive.
37. Arthur L. Ross,  
277 Jefferson Ave.
38. Edson J. Woodgate,  
51 Superior St.
39. J. Sierka,  
152 Troup St.
40. W. A. Elston,  
184 Seville Drive.
41. George O'Hara, Box 2 Sta. E,  
Buffalo, N. Y.
42. D. B. Morton,  
49 East Ave.
43. Peter Thomas,  
15 University Ave.
44. Leslie Leiss,  
11 Woodford St.
45. Robert Reddick,  
146 Kislisbury St.
46. Geo. W. Lindboe,  
889 Woodbine Ave.
47. B. Cabelka,  
210 East Ave.
48. J. M. Henderson, 511 Citiz.  
Bank Bldg., Columbus, Ohio.
49. L. L. Babin,  
596 Hudson Ave.



50. R. W. Lewis,  
464 Lake View Park.
51. K. W. Heye,  
267 Oxford St.
52. Clarence E. Moore,  
122 Mulberry St.
53. Le Roy A. Becker,  
479 Lake View Park.
54. Sidney N. O'Brien,  
1073 N. Goodman St.
55. Edward G. Bauer,  
1462 Culver Road.
56. Fred S. Lozier,  
179 Earl St.
57. Barney Bluestone,  
119 Cumberland Ave. Syr.
58. Frank B. Grover,  
725 Clifford Ave.



Minutes of the Meeting of January 5, 1932.

The regular 455th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences at 8 P. M. with President Lindboe in the Chair.

The Following members were present; Potter, Amberg, Woodbury, Kaufman, Babin, G. J. Lindboe, Lange, Haringx, Parker, Plumb, Sloane, Leiss, Sunday, G. J. Bauer, Kolb, Gillette, Lozier, Prior, French and Foster.

The minutes of the previous meeting having been read at the Annual Meeting Sunday Jan. 3, and since the Report of the Banquet was not ready. This part of the business was suspended.

President Lindboe announced that hereafter meetings would start promptly at 8 P. M. and members arriving after the meeting had been called to order would be counted as absent.

The Banquet committee reported on the bills incurred for the banquet and a motion was made and carried that they be paid.

Dr. Parker reported the change in the meeting facilities caused by the recent cut in the Museum's Budget. And it was decided that the Association pay the orderly directly every meeting for his services of two and a half hours. It was also decided to temporarily suspend the Luncheons.

A motion was made and carried that the association give prizes at the end of the year for the best record of attendance. The prizes to consist of the retiring Presidents Medal.

Under new business Mr. Babin spoke on the Subject of Publicity for the R. N. A. and suggested that a publicity Manager be elected to handle publicity for the Association in the local newspapers under the Associations Name.

Dr. Parker nominated Mr. Babin for the Position and as no other candidates were nominated. Mr. Babin was unanimously elected to the post.

Mr. Sunday conducted the usual auction after which the meeting was adjourned until January 19th.

Charles W. Foster, Sec'y.



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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER I



FINE TREE SHILLING  
BY  
JOHN HULL.  
1632



NOTICE.

The regular 456th meeting of the Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, Tuesday January 19th at 8 P. M. Please be prompt as President Lindboe has ruled that those arriving after the meeting has been called to order will be counted as absent.

PROGRAM

After the regular business meeting Mr. Lange will give a paper on "The Origin of the Triskeles or Triune".

The following questions will start the series of questions and answers for 1932.

QUESTIONS

1. Who gave Simon Maccabeus permission to coin money?  
When was the first issued?
2. What value did the tribute money of Rome Represent?
3. What U. S. Colonial is called the Tory Cent? Where was it struck? When?
4. What Great Empire of the past is only know from its coins?
5. What is the equivalent to the U. S. Dollar in modern Chinese Cash? In old Chinese Cash?

ORIGIN OF THE TERM "BOGUS".

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About 1840 in the Middle and early Western States, there flourished a noted counterfeiter named Borhese, who flooded that section of the country with what was know as "Borghese Currency". Bogus is a corruption of Borghese.



Charles W. Foster, Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF Jan. 19, 1932.

The <sup>456</sup>457th Meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences Tuesday Jan. 19, at 8. P. M.

The following members were present; Lange, Lozier, Babin, Horner, Kaufman, Peake, Woodbury, Cabelka, G. J. Lindboe Haringx, Plumb, Amberg, Kolb, Sloane, Leiss, Bauer, Sunday, Gillette, Becker, Reddick, and Foster.

The following visitors were present, Nathan Blum, George Brakne, Jack Madden, Jackson Wells Jr.

Several communications were read, all of them being inquiries about old coins.

The balance of the bills for the banquet were presented and ordered paid.

President Lindboe presented Mr. Sunday and Mr. Foster each with a small folding Magnifying glass as a slight token of the clubs appreciation of their services. Mr. Sunday told the members that due to other plans this it was doubtful wether he would be able to take care of the Auction at the meetings and suggested that we appoint a new auctioneer.

The publicity in the papers of Jan. 17, was discussed and Publicity Manager Babin promised to submitt articles for publication to newspaper in correct form and retain a duplicate for his files hereafter.

The New Kolb Medals were placed on sale at this meeting. The questions on the notice sheet were discussed after which Mr. Lange talked on the "Origin of the Triskeles" and illustrated the talk on the blackboard.

Mr. Bauer exhibited several <sup>Roman Denarii</sup> ~~shekels~~ to illustrate one of the questions.

After the usual auction the meeting was adjourned until Feb. ",.

Charles W. Foster, Sec'y.



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3/4 Page . . . . .	6.00	17.00	33.00	60.00
One Page . . . . .	12.00	32.00	62.50	115.00
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One Page, Outside Cover . . . . .	17.50	48.00	92.00	170.00

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A discount of 15 per cent. will be allowed for cash in advance. The right is reserved to require payment in advance for any advertising, or to discontinue any advertising if bill is not paid promptly. All advertising is received subject to the above conditions.

Copy for advertisements must be received by the 15th of the month to insure insertion in the following month's issue.

All matters pertaining to advertising should be addressed to, and all checks, money orders, etc., made payable to F. G. Duffield, Business Manager, 4215 Fernhill Ave., Baltimore, Md.

## Editorial Comment—Numismatic News

### WILL COMPILE LIST OF WASHINGTON MEDALS AND TOKENS.

Following the suggestion in our February issue, Harvey L. Hansen, Second Vice-President of the A. N. A., of Piedmont, Cal., has volunteered to undertake the compilation of a list of the Washington medals and tokens that may be issued in this bi-centennial year of his birth. It is expected that a number of such medals and tokens will be issued in different localities, and if the list is to approach completeness Mr. Hansen will have to have the cooperation and assistance of collectors. Every member of the A. N. A. and every reader of THE NUMISMATIST who may learn of any medallic issue struck in honor of Washington this year is requested to report it to Mr. Hansen, sending a specimen to him if possible to obtain it, with information as to its origin, manufacturer, number struck, etc. The list will be published in THE NUMISMATIST as early after the close of the celebration as possible. Mr. Hansen makes the following appeal for assistance from all:

"After reading the appeal in the February issue of THE NUMISMATIST for some one to make a list of Washington Bi-Centennial Medals and Tokens, I had the audacity to offer to do it and was promptly accepted.

"The Washington Bi-Centennial has been of great interest to me, and it will, therefore, be a pleasure for me to do my very best in making such a list possible. In order to make it as complete and all-inclusive as possible, I ask all A. N. A. members, district secretaries, local societies, dealers and medallic firms to advise me of any issues that come to their notice and to

furnish me with full information, so that proper listing can be made. In this way I am sure that a valuable and historic list can be made, which, when published, will be our contribution to the Bi-Centennial celebration."

HARVEY L. HANSEN.  
123 Greenbank Ave., Piedmont, Calif.

### COUNTERMARKED STONE MOUNTAIN HALF DOLLARS.

An inquiry comes from one of our members in Chattanooga, Tenn., regarding the countermarking of Stone Mountain half dollars. The coin submitted for inspection has in the upper field the number 197, and in the lower field, immediately over Liberty, TENN. Our inquirer states that this is one of a number of similar countermarked coins, all having a different number, but so far his inquiry as to the purpose of this countermarking has not produced any positive information. Probably some of our readers can tell us about it.

FARRAN ZERBE.

### R. N. A. 1931 PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL.

Following its custom since its foundation, the Rochester Numismatic Association has just issued its twentieth presidential medal. Like its predecessors, the medal bears on the obverse the portrait of the president for the year. In this instance it is Alphonse A. Kolb. The portrait is an excellent one, and as Mr. Kolb is a die cutter and made the dies from which it was struck, he will be pardoned if he put into this task all the skill he possesses.



He has been the die cutter of all the R. N. A. presidential medals in late years, previous to which time they were cut by his father. (The nineteen previous presidential medals of the R. N. A. were illustrated in reduced size in our February issue.) The reverse is from a stock die, which has been used on all former medals.

### THE HESSELEIN COIN BUSINESS SOLD AT AUCTION.

The coin business of William Hesselein, formerly conducted by him at 101 Tremont street, Boston, Mass., was sold at public auction on February 29 by the mortgagee. It was sold to the mortgagee at his bid of \$600. It included Mr. Hesselein's mailing list, good will, safes, cabinets, etc. George L. Tilden, Northboro, Mass., one of the creditors, informs us that the mortgagee has since sold his rights, title and business to a stamp dealer on Atlantic avenue, Boston, who will keep one of Mr. Hesselein's former clerks in charge and reopen the office. Irvin M. Davis, 18 Tremont street, has been appointed absence receiver for the Hesselein business, who will have charge of the accounts and wind up the affairs of the office.



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CAROLINA  
HALF PENNY  
1694.



NOTE. This same obverse was used in the same year with a reverse GOD PRESERVE NEW ENGLAND. Both coins are rare.

NOTICE.

The regular 457th meeting of the Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, Tuesday February 2, at 8 P. M.

PROGRAM.

After the regular business meeting Mr. Geo. A. Gillette will exhibit and discuss briefly some Broken Bank Notes from several different States. The Notes will be particularly those with the portrait of George Washington.

The usual auction will be held after the discussion of the following questions.

QUESTIONS.

6. What is the origin of the "LIBERTY CAP"?
7. What was the first coin to bear a date? When was it struck?
8. What were the Baron Goertz Dalers used for? What were they made of? What did they pass as? Between what dates were they issued? What happened to Baron Goertz?

ANSWERS.

1. Antiochus son of Demetrius, about 142 B. C.
2. Georgius III 1783, Struck in England.
2. The Tribute Money of Rome was equivalent to the value of a days wages for a soldier or a day laborer in the vineyards.
4. ?
5. About 2000, there is no modern cash.

IMPORTANT.

To all members interested in saving copies of the 1931 meeting notices. The Secretary has extra copies of nearly all meetings, and will have them at this meeting for those who need some to fill in their set. Remember to check up before you come so you will know what you want, some dates are already lacking and others are getting scarce.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



# ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION'S ANNUAL BANQUET.

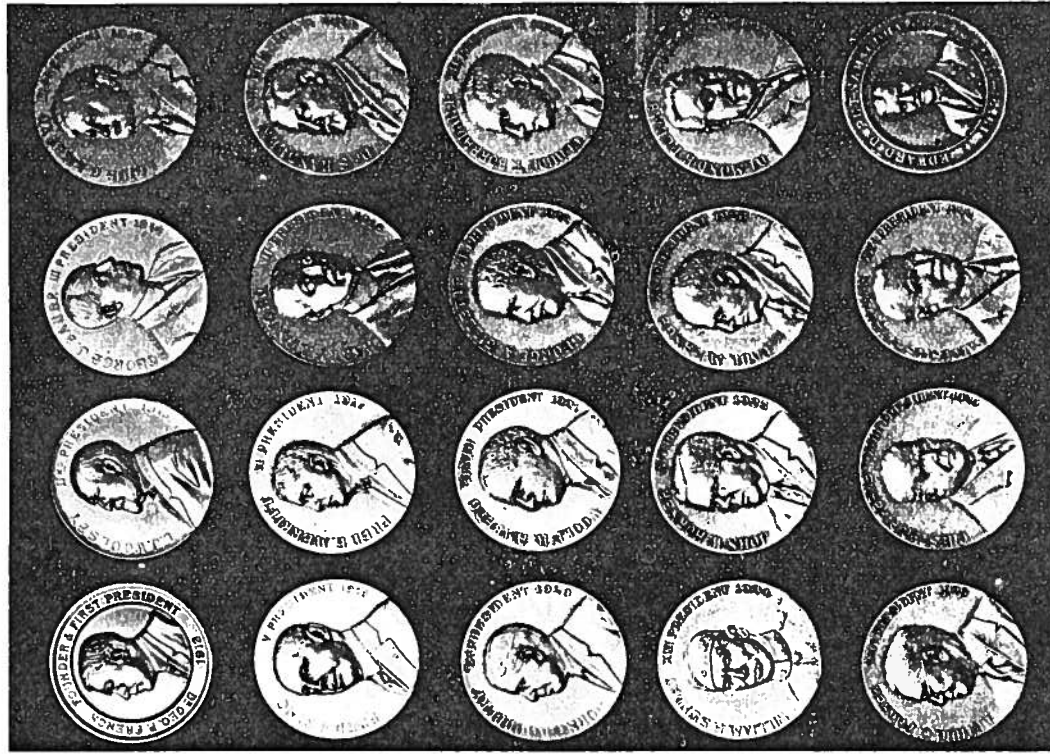
The twentieth annual banquet was held at the Hotel Rochester on January 3, in practically the same room the association was organized twenty years ago, on January 4, 1912. The following members were present: W. H. Amberg, Leslie Leiss, Paul M. Lange, A. H. Plumb, Leonard L. Babin, B. Cabelka, A. A. Kolb, J. W. Sloane, Geo. J. Bauer, J. W. Horner, Chester A. Peake, A. J. Kaufman, G. J. Lindboe, Geo. P. French, L. J. Woolsey, Geo. A. Gillette and Charles W. Foster. The following ladies were present: Mrs. Geo. J. Bauer, Mrs. C. W. Foster, Mrs. Hart, Mrs. J. W. Horner, Mrs. A. A. Kolb, Mrs. A. H. Plumb, Mrs. J. W. Sloane and Mrs. L. J. Woolsey.

At the meeting previous to the banquet Geo. J. Bauer, President of the American Numismatic Association, acted as installing officer and installed the following as officers for 1932: President, G. J. Lindboe; vice-president, J. W. Sloane; secretary, C. W. Foster; treasurer, A. A. Kolb.

A motion was carried to officially thank Dr. Parker by letter for his cooperation in the past in securing a meeting place for the association. Also a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Sunday and a committee was appointed to secure some slight token for Mr. Sunday in appreciation of his services in the past as auctioneer at the meetings. Prizes were presented to the following for the best record of attendance for 1931: W. H. Amberg, A. H. Plumb, Babin and Leiss.

At the banquet President Lindboe presented the following charter members with card cases and charter membership cards as a slight token of the club's appreciation of their twenty years of service and counsel: W. H. Amberg, Geo. P. French, F. E. Merritt, F. B. King, L. J. Woolsey, A. H. Plumb, G. J. Bauer, and to our one honorary member, W. D. Horstman.

The banquet program contained a picture of all the medals struck by the association in honor of the retiring presidents, and a brief history of the association.



Presidential Medals Issued by R. N. A.

1912—Dr. George P. French.  
1913—L. J. Woolsey.  
1914—George J. Bauer.  
1915—L. G. Amberg.  
1916—F. B. King.  
1917—F. E. Merritt.  
1918—H. H. Hawger.  
1919—Dr. S. Woodbury.  
1920—J. C. Woodbury.  
1921—W. H. Amberg.

1922—George A. Gillette.  
1923—Claude C. Borradale.  
1924—William F. Sunday.  
1925—John W. Horner.  
1926—Paul M. Lange.  
1927—Alvin H. Plumb.  
1928—Dr. Arthur C. Parker.  
1929—Dr. Chester A. Peake.  
1930—Augustus Kaufman.  
1931—Edward D. Putnam, Curator.

After many impromptu talks from nearly every member present the meeting was adjourned with a rising vote of thanks to the banquet committee. The ladies were given flowers and vases, and many of the other members took flowers home to their wives who had not been able to attend.

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF FEBRUARY 2, 1932.

The regular 457th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, at 8 P. M.

The following members were present; Kolb, Lange, Kaufman, Plumb, Cabelka, Amberg, G.J.Lindboe, Horner, Lozier, Babin, Woodgate, Potter, G. J. Bauer, Gillette, Sloane, Sunday, Reddick and Foster.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A communication from Dr. Parker was read regarding the new arrangements for orderly service at the meetings.

A bill from Bastian Bros. for the striking of the R. N. A. Twentieth Annual Medal was presented and ordered paid.

A bill from the secreatry for postage and notices to date was ordered paid with an additional amount of \$10.00 to cover approximately the next nine meetings.

The subject of reducing the price of the Annual Medal from to 2.00 to 1.80 was discussed. A motion was made and seconded that the price be reduced. But the motion was unanimously defeated.

President Lindboe ask the members what their wishes were regarding the starting time of the meetings, and it was decided the the meetings should be called to order at about 8:30 at the dâscreSSION of the President.

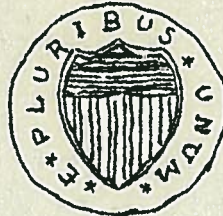
Mr. Geo. A. Gillette gave a very fine talk on "Washington on Broken Bank Notes", and exhibited his collection of these notes to illustrate the talk. The exhibit consisted of about 75 Broken Bank notes in very fine condition many of them being quite rare.

After the questions on the notice were discussed, the usual auction was conduct by Mr. Reddick.

Charles W. Foster, Secretary.



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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER III



The very rare Washington Cent.

NOTICE.

The regular 458th meeting of the Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, Tuesday February 16, at 8 P. M.

PROGRAM.

Mr. George J. Bauer, President of the American Numismatic Association will give a brief talk on "Washington on Coins", and will make an exhibit for his talk.

The usual auction will be held after the discussion of the following questions.

QUESTIONS.

9. When was leather first used as a circulating medium of exchange?
10. When was nickel first used in coinage?
11. What countries or people have used glass as a circulating medium of exchange?

ANSWERS.

6. When the Romans manumitted a slave his head was adorned with a small red cloth cap. As soon as this was done he a Libertinus or freedman, and his name was registered among others of the cities tribes. In the year 263, when Saturninus invaded the capital, he hoisted a cap on the point of his spear, to indicate that all slaves who rallied around his standard should be free. This was the origin of the "Liberty Cap", still used in art as a symbol.
7. A German Ducat, about 1434.
8. As necessity money, Copper, Silver, 1715-19, He was executed for treason.

Have you purchased your copy of the Twentieth R. N. A. Medal, with the excellent portrait of Ex-President Kolb?

Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF FEBRUARY 16, 1932.

The 458th Meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences Tuesday Feb. 16, at 8 P. M. With President Lindboe in the Chair.

The following members were present: Kaufman, Lange, Plumb, Babin, Lozier, Woodgate, Woodbury, Becker, Sunday, Sloane, Leiss, Horner, Amberg, B. J. Bauer, G. J. Lindboe, Kolb, Lewis, Gillette, French, Parker, Reddick, and Foster.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A communication was read from Mr. Schug thanking the members for their interest in his recovery and the flower.

A bill of \$2.00 from H. E. Wilson's for flowers was read and ordered paid. Mr. Gillette reported the acquisition of two new books for the library, Wismer's N. Y. Paper Money and Mehl's *reprint of*

After the questions were discussed Mr. Bauer gave an interesting talk on Washington Portraits on coins, and exhibited early, *Andrew* coins, tokens, and medals of Geo. Washington Mostly of the time *which was* 1783- 1792. In extraordinary condition. *donated by Mr. Mehl. The*

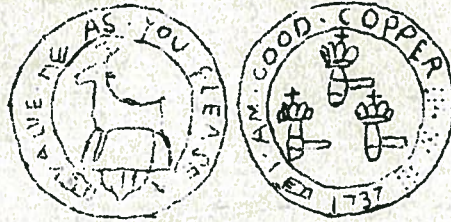
Mr. Gillette also exhibited the following medals to help *Sec. was mis* illustrate Mr. Bauer's talk: Victori Sine Glade, Manly medal, *with thank* Westwood medal, Wyand medal, Halliday, Sansome, Voltaire, Hero *Mr. Mehl.* of freedom, Coat of Arms, Peace Medal 1789. Bale, Copy of obv. & Rev. of Washington Half-dollar, Mint medal, Wash. Kosciusko, Lafayette, Crystal Palace, Ist eight Presidents,.

The usual fine Auction was conducted by Mr Reddick after which the meeting was adjourned until March 1, .

Charles W. Foster, Sec'y.



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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER IV



- The Granby Copper -- probably the first coin struck in Connecticut.

NOTICE.

The regular 459th meeting of the Association will held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, Tuesday March 1, at 8 P. M.

PROGRAM.

After the business session Mr. E. J. Lindboe President of the Association will give a brief talk on "The Chronology of Different Races".

The usual Auction will be held after the discussion of the following questions.

QUESTIONS.

12. How many official Washington Coins have been issued?
13. What was the first coin to have the real portrait of Geo. Washington? Who made it and where was it struck?
14. Where were the earliest Washington Coins struck?
15. What was the Unity State Cent?

ANSWERS.

9. By the early Carthaginians and Romans.
10. ?
11. Burmah and Egypt.

IMPORTANT.

According to the By-laws all dues except Honorary are payable before the first of April for the year. Please take care of yours now for you will want your name on the new 1932 membership list which will be out the latter part of April.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF MARCH 1, 1932.

The regular 459th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences at 8 P. M. with President Lindboe presiding.

The following members were present: Amberg, Lange, Kaufman, Moore, Plumb, Babin, C. J. Lindboe, Horner, Haringx, Sunday, Liess, Sloane, Kolb, Edward Bauer, Becker, Gillette Woodbury, Potter, G. J. Bauer, Reddick, ~~xxxxxxx~~ and Foster.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, and as there were no communications or applications for membership the ~~meeting~~ the Secretary read an article from Harpers magazine for 1860 about the Grandby Copper which was illustrated on the ~~xxxxxxx~~ meeting notice, the article was brought in by Mr. Woodgate.

After the questions were discussed which were nearly all on Mr. Bauer talk at the previous. President Lindboe gave an interesting talk on the Chronology of Different Races, explaining the methods used by the Chinese, Greeks etc. to calculate and record time.

Mr. Woodbury exhibited the following pieces which he recently acquired;

5 Dollar Gold of Norris Grieg & Norris 1849  
The first coin to be struck in California.

10 Dollar gold Agustus Humbert 1852.

2½ dollar Regular U. S. issue 1802 ~~Small~~ 2.

1792 Half Disme V. F.

The usual Auction was conducted by Mr. Sunday after which the meeting was adjourned until March 15,.

Charles W. Foster Sec'y.



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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER V



The first New Jersey Cent, the first coin to bear E PLURIBUS UNUM.

NOTICE.

The 460th Meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, Tuesday March 15, at 8 P. M.

PROGRAM.

After the Business Session the Secretary will present a NUMISMATIC PUZZLE.

The regular Auction will be held after the discussion of the following questions.

QUESTIONS.

16. Does Samoa have a coinage of it's own? When did it start?
17. What were the different regimes in Sweden to issue plate money? What denominations appeared under each?
18. What was the smallest coin ever put in circulation?
19. When was the first gold deposited in the U. S. Mint for coinage? Who made the deposit?
20. When was the Eagle first authorized to be struck? When was it struck?

ANSWERS.

12. None.
13. Large and Small Eagle Cent of 1791, made by a man named Hancock and struck in Birmingham England.
15. It was really a pattern for the later U. S. Cents.
14. 1783.

Have you paid your dues for 1932 to Treasurer Kolb? His address is 453 N. Clinton Ave.

Charles W. Foster Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF MARCH 15, 1932.

The regular 460th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences at 8 P. M. With President Lindbee presiding.

The following members were present; Lange, Plumb, Woodgate, Horner, Amberg, G. J. Lindboe, Lozier, G. J. Bauer, Sunday, Liess, Becker, Sloane, Kolb, Gillette, Bluestone, Babin, Parker. and Foster.

The questions on the notice were discussed, which was followed by A Numismatic Puzzle presented by the Secretary. Mr. Sunday carried the Honors being the only one to successfully solve the puzzle.

The usual Auction was conducted by Mr. Sunday, after which the meeting was adjourned until April 5.

Charles W. Foster Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF APRIL 5, 1932.

The regular 461st meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences at 8 P. M. With President Lindboe presiding.

The following members were present; Plumb, Woodgate, Babin, Woodbury, Horner, Bauer, Kaufman, Moore, Kolb, Lange, Parker, Lindboe G. J., Amberg, French, Becker, Milliman, and Foster. The following visitors were present; Mesers. Gutentag, Haupt, and Brownell.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Several communication were read including one from the California Coin Club regarding the advertising in the Convention Program.

The Secretary was instructed to write all of the U. S. Mints to ascertain whether or not the club as a group could secure specimens of each issue of their coinage in one shipment. And also what pieces were available.

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In the absence of the regular Auctioneer Mr. Bauer acted ~~in~~ his place and successfully disposed quite a few pieces including a few books.

Charles W. Foster.



1932

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER VI

MASSACHUSETTS CENTS AND HALF CENTS  
1787 AND 1788.



NOTICE.

The 462nd Meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, Tuesday April 19, at 8 P. M.

PROGRAM.

Each Member is requested to bring his smallest coin for EXHIBIT The coin may of any metal. ✓

The regular Auction will be held to which Dr. Parker has an outside collection for disposal to add. We understand this contains a variety of items including some Ancients in a fine state of preservation. No

QUESTIONS. ✓

21. What is the easiest way to tell whether or not an 1853 Half-dollar No Rays-No Arrows is genuine or not?
22. To what money was the term Hock Tuesday Money applied?
23. What was the first coin struck for use in America? How did it derive it's name?

ANSWERS. ✓

The answers on sheet V will be on sheet VII along with those of the above questions. This is necessary in order to give the following? library additions.

LIBRARY.

- A-9, Andrews, F. D. U. S. Cents 1816-57. Mehl's Reprint 1924.
- B-3, Becker Counterfeits 1836. German.
- H-5, Hazeltine Type Table Catalog Mehl's Reprint 1927.
- H-6, Head, B. V. A Manual of Greek Numismatics 1887.
- G-3, Gutttag Bros. Hard Time Tokens. Numbered according to Low.
- S-5, Sabatier, J. Monnaies Byzantines Vol.1.
- S-6, " " " " " 2.
- W-3 Wismer, D. C. Descriptive List of Obsolete Paper Money of N. Y.
- 3-16, Catalogue of Ten Eyck Collection 1922 Priced.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF APRIL 19, 1932.

The regular 462ond Meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences Tuesday at 8 P. M. With President Lindboe Presiding.

The following members were present: Horner, Lange, Woodgate, Kaufman, Babin, Lozier, Plumb, G. J. Lindboe, Becker, Gorver, Parker, Lewis, Akely, Sloane, Sunday, Moore, Haringx, French, Kolb, Amberg, G. J. Bauer, Gillette, Dr. Peake. and Foster. and Mr. Johnson visitor.

A letter was read from Mr. Edwin Gruener of Pittsburgh, and also the Announcement of the Coin & Stamp Convention ~~to~~ be held in Jamestown June 17, & 18.

An application for membership was received from Mr. Frank B. Grover of 725 Clifford Ave. The usual proceedings were set aside and Mr. Grover was unanimously elected to membership.

The Secretary was instructed to prepare a membership list for 1932. And was authorized to purchase envelopes and Letter heads to suit the best needs of the organization. The Secretary was also authorized to have the Library Books Bound.

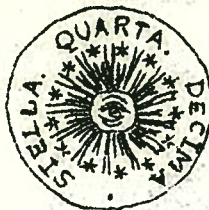
The questions on the notice were discussed briefly. After which the regular auction was conducted by Mr. Sunday. The auction contained a large number of pieces Miscellaneous ~~which~~ offered by Mr. Reynolds.

After the auction the meeting was adjourned until May 3rd.

Charles W. Foster Secretary.



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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER VII



A Colonial Cent of Vermont 1785.

NOTICE.

The 463rd Meeting of the Rochester, Numismatic Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences Tuesday May 3, at 8 P. M.

PROGRAM.

After the business meeting the following questions will be discussed, and the regular Auction will be held.

You may Exhibit your latest Acquisitions if you wish. To insure them of their place in the minutes, prepare a brief list of what you are exhibiting to hand the Secretary.

QUESTIONS.

24. What are Ant's Nose Coins? By what other names are they designated?
25. When did William Wood introduce his Coinage to Ireland? Why was it necessary to cancel his Patent for making these coins?
26. What are the Willow Tree Coins? Which is the rarest?
27. What money is called William in some parts of the U. S?
28. When were the earliest Plated Silver Coins Struck? By what Country and why were they used?

ANSWERS.

16. No.
17. Christiana 1632-54 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 10 Daler.  
Charles X 1654-60 1, 2, 4, 8 Daler.  
Charles XI 1660-97  $\frac{1}{2}$ , 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8 Daler.  
Charles XII 1710-18  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{3}{4}$ , 1,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , 2, 3, 4 Daler.  
Ulrich 1719-20  $\frac{1}{2}$ , 1, 2, 4 Daler.  
Fred. I 1720-51  $\frac{1}{2}$ , 1, 2, 4 Daler.  
Adolf F. 1751-71  $\frac{1}{2}$ , 1, 2, 4 Daler.
18. The quarter Obol of Ancient Greece.
19. Feb. 12, 1795 by Moses Brown.
20. Apr. 2, 1792; 1795.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF ~~MAY~~ 3, 1932.

The regular 463rd meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences Tuesday at 8 P. M. with President Lindboe presiding.

The following members were present; <sup>Lange</sup> Lozier, Kaufman, Woodgate, Horner, Plumb, G. J. Lindboe, Grover, Kolb, Moore, Liess, Sunday, G. J. Bauer, Parker, Becker, Gillette, Dr. Peake, Amberg, Babin, French and Foster.

Communications from the Various mints and the Treasurer of the United States were read regarding the purchase of uncirculated coins from the mints by collectors. A list of the coins available was also read and it was decided to have this list mineographed and mail each member a copy.

~~Two~~ bills one to the Secretary for notices Etc., and the other to Mr. Carr for printing were ordered paid.

The questions on the notice were discussed. The discussion brought out several points of interest.

The balance of the evening was devoted to the regular Auction which included several choice cents, and to a collection of German necessity Paper Money which was placed on display and sale by Mr. Frank Opperman who has lately returned from Germany.

Charles W. Foster, Secretary.



COMPLETE LIST OF UNCIRCULATED COINS AVAILABLE IN TREASURY  
OFFICES.

(Copy of list received from the Treasurer of the U. S.  
April 28, 1932. ).

DENVER COINAGE

1907 Half- Eagles.	1927 Double Eagles.
1909 " "	1928 Quarters.
1914 Eagles.	1929 Halves, Quarters, dimes, Nic.
1921 Morgan Silver dol.	1930 Cents.
1922 Peace " "	1931 Double Eagles, dimes, cents.
1925 Double Eagles.	1932. Cents.
1926 " " Peace Dollars.	

PHILADELPHIA COINAGE

1921 Morgan , Peace Sil Dollars.	1928 Peace Silver dollars.
1924 Peace Dollars.	1929 $\frac{1}{2}$ eagles, $\frac{1}{4}$ dol. 10¢, 5¢, 1¢.
1925 " " .	1930 Quarters, Dimes, Nickels, 1¢.
1926 " " .	1931 Db. Eagles, dimes, cents.
1927 " " .	1932 " " eagles, cents.

SAN FRANCISCO COINAGE

1921 Morgan Silver dollars.	1928 Peace dollars, Quarters.
1922 Peace " " .	1929 Halves, Quarters, dimes, Nic-
1923 " " " .	kels, cents.
1924 " " " .	1930 Db. eagles, eagles, quarters
1925 Db. eagles, peace dollars.	dimes, nickels, cents.
1926 " " " " .	1931 dimes, nickels, cents.
1927 " " " " .	

INSTRUCTIONS RELATIVE TO OBTAINING NEW COINS  
FROM THE UNITED STATES MINTS.

Under the regulations of the Treasury Department which controls the activities of all the Mints, Private Coin Collectors, Numismatic dealers Etc. desiring new coins should address their applications for same to the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C.

These applications must state definitely the coins desired, the Mint by which manufactured, the amount and the denomination; as well as the purpose for which desired, and they must be accompanied by a remittance in cash, or money order payable to the Treasurer of the United States for the full face value of the coins, plus an amount sufficient to cover the postage thereon by first class mail and the registration fee, if it is desired the shipment be registered.

NOTE: In case coins are desired from all three mints it is necessary to include postage etc. for three different shipments.

Please read these directions carefully and in making your application to the Treasurer see that each foregoing requirement is complied with.

May 10, 1932.

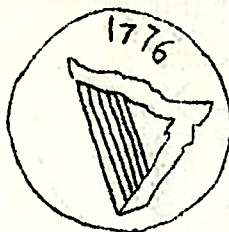
Charles V. Foster, Secretary.  
Rochester Numismatic Association.



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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER VIII

A Colonial Cent of Vermont 1776.



NOTICE

The 464 Meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences Tuesday May 17, 1932.

The regular business meeting will be followed by a discussion of the following questions and the usual Auction.

QUESTIONS

29. What was the first Eagle? During what period did it circulate and where?
30. What are Tesserae?
31. What is the English equivalent of the common Japanese name for money?
32. What is Feuchtwanger Metal?
33. What was a Cuneator? What was his pay?

ANSWERS.

21. The Genuine coin weighs 14 grains more than the other.
22. A duty given to the landlord, that his tenants might solemnize the day on which the English conquered the Danes. Being the second Tuesday after Easter.
23. Somner Island Shilling or Hogge Money. It deried it's name from Captaan Somner who discovered the Island.
24. Small copper pellet coins of China 650-600B. C., they also go by the name of Ghost Face or Head Money.
25. 1722, Because the Irish did not like it, resenting the manner in which it was forced on them and refused to use it.
26. Early silver coins of Massacheusetts (6 & 12 Pence 1652) The six Pence is the rarest.
27. Paper Bills.
28. 91 B. C. by the Romans during the war with Hannibal and were issued for profit.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



MINUTES MEETING OF MAY 17, 1932.

The regular 464th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of arts and Sciences at 8 P. M. with President Lindboe presiding.

The following members were present; Lange, Plumb, Dr. Peake, Gillette, Horner, Kaufman, Grover, Lozier, G. J. Lindboe, Lewis, Amberg, Becker, Moore, Sloane, Reddick, and Foster.

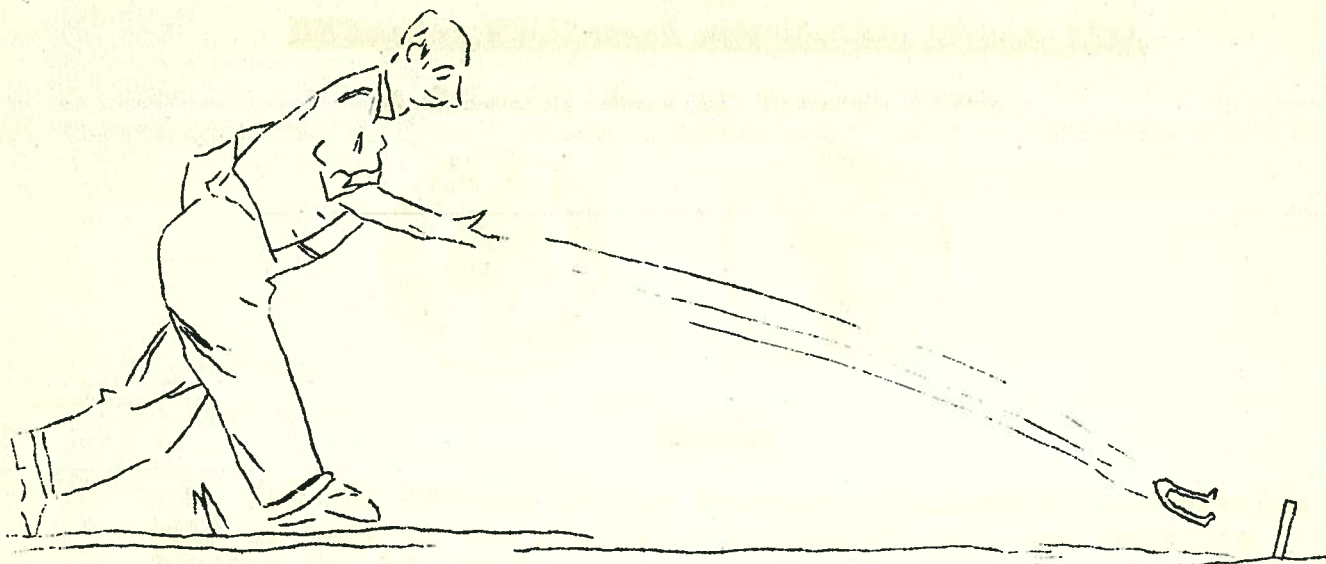
A communication was read from Mr. W. E. Woolsey, who was in Florida at the time. Mr. Woolsey sent his regards to his fellow members.

An Outing was <sup>proposed</sup> purposed at Point Peake on June 4, The <sup>proposal</sup> ~~purposal~~ was accepted and many of the members ~~planned~~ to be present.

The questions on the notice were discussed after which the members had the opportunity to secure a few bargains in the usual Auction Sale.

Charles W. Foster Sec'y.





### OUTING

The first Outing of the year will be held ~~at~~ Point Peake Saturday afternoon June 4, we will leave the Genesee Motor corner St. Paul and Franklin Sts. at 1:30 P. M. please be on time. Don't miss this opportunity to get in some practise for the Horseshoe Pitching Contest.

### NOTICE

The 465 meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences Tuesday June 7, at 8 P. M.

The subject of the Jamestown Carnival will be discussed. As this is the last meeting before the event it will be necessary to know how many are going so that they may be notified. All the latest reports indicate that this will be well worth attending, at present some 200 are expected to attend. Pittsburg is contributing 10 or 12 and Buffalo about the same, so let's see that Rochester is well represented.

### ANSWERS.

29. A Base silver coin in circulation in Ireland in the latter part of the 13th Century.
30. Part of the Roman series of coins which were used as admission tickets to games etc.
31. Honorable Foot.
32. A composition resembling nickel that was used for some of the Hard Time Tokens. An effort was also made to have it used for the minor coins of the U. S., but this failed.
33. A former officier of the mint who was responsible for the accuracy of the dies. The old and broken dies were his pay.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF JUNE 7, 1932.

The regular 465th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences at 8 P. M. with Vice President Sloane presiding.

The following members were present; Lozier, Lange, Kaufman, Plumb, Horner, Grover, Sunday Slaane, Moore, Amberg, G. J. Bauer, Liess, Becker, Reddick, French and Foster.

Coummunications from Mr. Clarke in Jamestown were read regarding the Coin & Stamp Carnival on june 17&18.

The balance of the meeting was devoted to a discussion as to who was planning to go to Jamestown and how they were going. Nothing very definite was decide except that there would be about ten make the trip.

The meeting was then turned over to the Auctioneer who sucessfully disposed of a variety of items.

Charles W. Foster Sec'y



1932  
ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER X

NOTICE

The 466th meeting of the Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences Tuesday Evening, June 21, at 8 O'clock.

The meeting will include reports of the Jamestown Coin and Stamp Convention, followed by the Questions and Auction.



PANAMA PACIFIC FIFTY DOLLAR GOLD PIECE  
1915.

QUESTIONS.

34. What is a Piece of Eight? Where were they coined? Were they used in this country to any extent?
35. What coin was called the Rose Crown ? Why?
36. What is the popular name of the second type of 1793 Cent?
37. What was the first coin to bear the motto: E. Pluribus Unum? In God We Trust?
38. What is the Aeginetic Standard?

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.

When is OUTING NUMBER II to be held?



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF JUNE 21, 1932.

The regular <sup>4</sup>566th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences at 8 P. M. with President Lindboe in the chair.

The following members were present; Lewis, G. J. Lindboe, Horner, Lange, Plumb, Amberg, G. J. Bauer, Sunday, Dr. Peake, Grover, Becker, Sloane and Foster. Mr. Brownell and Mr. Fleming were visitors.

Mr. Bauer and Mr. Sunday gave a report of the Jamestown Convention, after which everyone agreed that it ~~was~~ was a fine affair.

A bill for flowers was presented by the Secretary and ordered paid.

Many of the members were sorry to learn of Mr. Heye's death resulting from an automobile accident. A committee was appointed to draft a resolution and have it published.

The question of the Second outing of the year was brought up, and it was decided to ~~hold~~ the July 5, meeting jointly with an outing at Point Peake on July 9.

After the usual auction the meeting was adjourned until July 9,

Charles W. Foster Sec'y.



Rochester, N. Y. June 21st. 1932.

The sudden death of our fellow member, K. Werner Heye, in an auto collision, which occurred June 16, 1932, was a severe shock to all of us.

Brother Heye was a new member whom we gladly welcomed to the R. N. A. December 2, 1930. Although he had not attended our meetings regularly, yet whenever he did, we were pleased with his spirit of good fellowship and evident interest in our hobby.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the R. N. A. regrets his tragic and sudden death and we wish hereby to convey our heartfelt sympathy to his bereaved friends, relatives and business associates in their irreparable loss of so valuable a life.

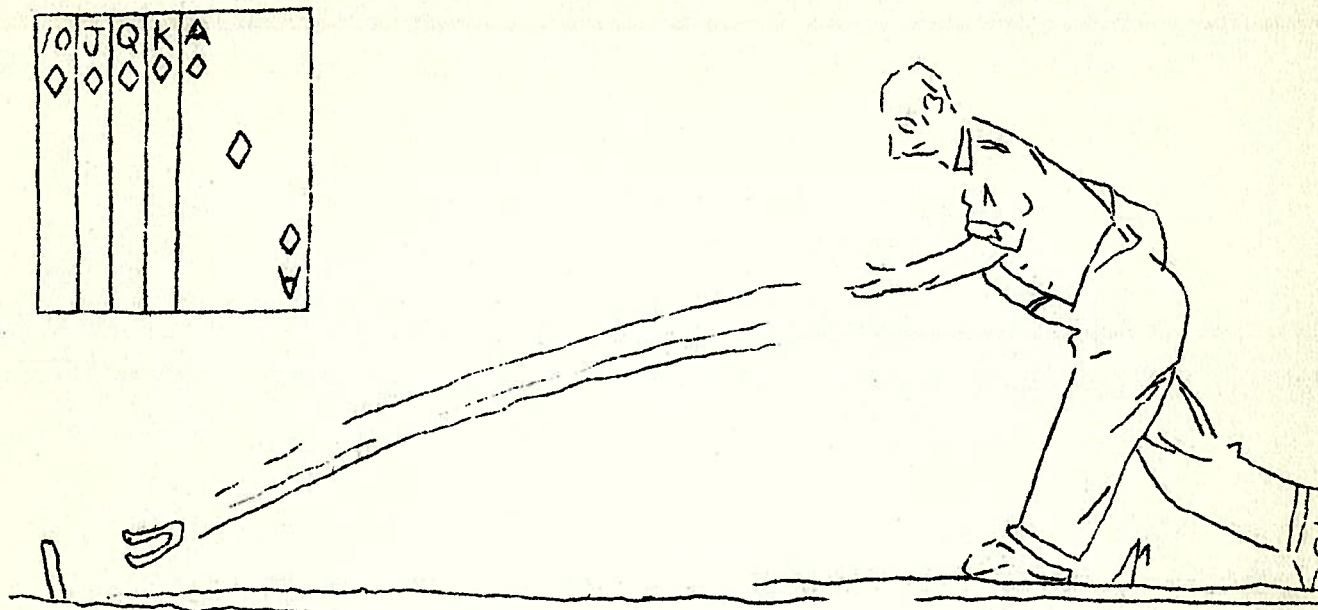
Frank A. Gillette

Charles W. Foster

Committee



1932  
ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XI



IMPORTANT NOTICE.

The next meeting of the Association will NOT be held at the Museum on July 5, but will be held jointly with the second outing of the year at Point Peake Saturday Afternoon July 9, We will leave the Genesee Motors at the corner of St. Paul and Franklin Sts. at 1:30 P. M. Sharp.

ANSWERS.

- 34. A dollar size Spanish Silver coin, Mexico, yes considerable in the early days.
- 35. The name was given to the first Crown of the reign of Chas. II from the fact that it had the figure of a Rose under the bust.
- 36. Wreath
- 37. New Jersey Cent of 1786, 1864 Two-Cent Piece.

HORSESHOE CONTEST

Will be held at one of the future outings as soon as the Secretary and Treasurer can get to-gether to make the necessary plans. In the mean time be sure and get all the practice you can, because we understand last year's Champions are out to retain their Title.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF JULY 9, 1932.

The regular 467th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held jointly with an Outing at Point Peake Saturday July 9, with Vice-President Sloane presiding.

The following members were present; Amberg, Babin, Kolb, French, Sierka, E. E. Peake, Potter, Plumb, Horner Lange, Dr. Peake, G. J. Bauer, Sloane, Gillette, Sunday, Foster and former member Mr. A. N. Wolff.

The afternoon was devoted to the Outing part of the program which consisted of horseshoe pitching and card playing both of which were strongly backed by Mr. Bauer's Punch.

After dinner was served the meeting was called to order by Vice-President Sloane.

Mr. Bert Brownell of 11 Woodlawn Ave., Fairport was unanimously elected to membership.

The Resolution on Mr. Heye's death which was drawn by Mr. Gillette was read and adopted.

The Secretary's bill for postage and notices was ordered paid. And it was decided to continue the notices for each meeting but to send them unsealed to save postage.

Mr. Bauer told of a communication he had had from President Lindboe who is vacationing in Canada. President Lindboe sent his regards to the members and said he was sorry he would not be able to attend and was afraid he would miss the punch. He also told Mr. Bauer to watch Dr. French and see that he didn't grab all the cake.

The meeting was then adjourned in favor of another session of Horseshoes and cards before dark.

Charles W. Foster Sec'y.



1932.  
ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XII



First Type  
1793.



Second Type  
1794 - 1797.



UNITEL STATES HALF CENTS.

NOTICE.

The 468th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences on Tuesday July 19, at 8 P. M.

PROGRAM.

At this meeting each member will exhibit his most treasured or choice specimen, and tell in a Two Minute Talk about acquiring it or why he treasures it most.

(NOTE: Every collector has some coin in his collection that he values more than any other so it should not be hard to show it and take two minutes telling about it).

QUESTIONS.

1. Do you think it would be a good plan to have a new member campaign now while we are having outings?
2. How would it be to make it a new member contest and have prizes?

HORSESHOE CONTEST.

The Secretary would like to hear from all those who plan to enter the Contest so that he can know how many to plan for. This contest will be held at an outing which will take place at Mr. Potter's probably sometime in August.

As there is quite a little work to be done in advance of preparing the programs and the order of play it is imperative that you let the Secretary know if you are planning to enter the 1932 Championship Contest.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF JULY 19, 1932.

The <sup>468</sup>~~470~~th Meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences at 8 P. M. with Vice-President Sloane presiding.

The Following members were present; Lange, Horner, Lozier, Amberg, Brownell, Plumb, Gillette, Liess, Sloane, G. J. Bauer, Kolb, Woodgate and Foster, Mr. James S. Corbett was a visitor.

At this meeting each member told about his most valued coin and several exhibited their coins.

It was decided to hold the Third Outing of the Summer at Earl Potter's, on Saturday afternoon August 6th. The Horseshoe Pitching Contest was to be the main feature of the outing.

After much discussion it was decided to hold the regular meeting on August 2, instead of combining it with the outing.

The Secretary was authorized to fill the the Ballott for the A. N. A. Election of Officiers as follows:

President: Mr. Boyer.

1. Vice-President L. A. Renaud.

2. " " ~~T. James Clarke.~~ *Hansen*

Secretary. H. T. Wilson.

Treasurer G. H. Blake.

Librarian C. W. Foster.

Chairman of Board of Governors: ~~Harley Freeman.~~ *Thorsen*

Members of the Board: ~~(Wormser)~~ *Freeman*, Philpott, Lloyd, Kennedy.

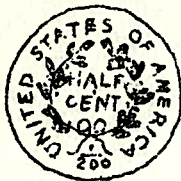
The meeting was followed by the regular Auction which contained a quantity of Large Coppers in fair condition.

Charles W. Foster, Secretary.



1932.  
ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XIII

UNITED STATES HALF CENTS.



Third Type  
1800-1808.



Fourth Type  
1809-1831.

NOTICE.

The 459th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences on Tuesday August 2, at 8 P. M.

PROGRAM.

At this meeting each member will exhibit the coin that started his collection and tell about it. And the usual Auction which will contain ? ? ? ? ?.

THIRD OUTING.

This outing will be held Saturday Afternoon August 5, At Earl Potters, on the Spencerport Road just east of the Manitou Road. The Forseshoe Contest will be held at the Outing.

We will meet at the Genesee Motors and leave at 1:30 P. M.

HORSESHOE CONTEST.

DO NOT FORGET to let the Secretary know at the above meeting if you plan to enter the contest. He must know in order plan the schedule, and the last minute will be too late.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF AUGUST 2, 1932.

The regular 469th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences on August 2nd at 8. P. M., with Vice President Sloane in the Chair.

The following members were present: Lange, Woodgate, Horner, Lozier, Plumb, Retan, Liess, Sloane, Sunday, Potter, Amberg, G. J. Bauer, Moore, Kolb, Brownell, Babin and Foster.

Several communications were read and ordered filed.

The question of "Eats" at the Outing to be held at Mr. Potters on August 6 was settled.

The vote for A. N. A. Officers was discussed and the decisions made.

Mr. Bauer read a letter from Mr. Henderson of the Ohio State Numismatic Society concerning the Big Meeting to be held at Columbus over Labor Day Week End. A some discussion took place as to who was going.

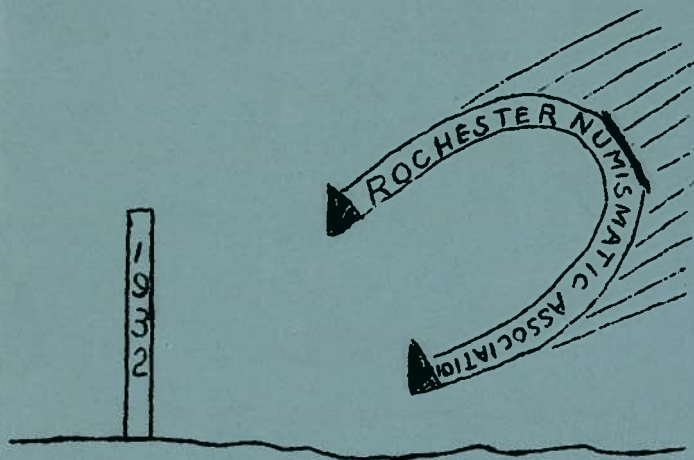
Each member told the story of the incident that started him in collecting coins. There was a marked similarity to all the stories indicating that the "Bug" was planted like a seed to grow into a numismatic plant.

The meeting was then turned over to the Auctioneer, who after working very hard manage to dispose of a few lots.

R. N. A'S. THIRD OUTING. *28 Aug.*

The feature of the Third Outing was the 1932 Championship Horseshoe Pitching Contest. In which the 1931 Champions were all unseated and replaced by new Champions. Mr. Sloane taking first place, Mr. Liess Second and Mr. Bauer Third. Gold, silver and Bronze medals, with Washington on one side and the contest on the other were awarded the winners.





CHAMPIONSHIP  
CONTEST



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1932.  
ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XLV  
UNITED STATES HALF CENT.



Fifth Type 1831-1857.

NOTICE.

The 470th meeting of the Association will be held  
at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences on Tuesday  
August 16, at 8 P. M.

HORSESHOE CONTEST.

The results of the Horseshoe Pitching Contest held  
at the Third Outing of the year at Mr. Potter's is as fol-  
lows:

1932 CHAMPIONS.

FIRST PLACE: J. W. SLOANE. 138 Points.  
SECOND PLACE: LESLIE LEISS. 128 Points.  
THIRD PLACE: GEORGE J. BAUER. 119 Points.

Seven 21 point games were played each contestant  
playing<sup>ing</sup> with the other seven as partners.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF AUGUST 16, 1932.

The 470th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences at 8 P. M. with Treasurer Kolb presiding.

The following members were present: Amberg, Lozier, Plumb, Horner, Brownell, Lange, Dr. Peake, Parker, Woodgate, Liess, Gillette, Lewis, Kolb, Potter, Sloane, and Foster. Mr. James S. Corbett was present as a visitor.

The Treasurer presented a bill for the Horseshoe Contest medals which was ordered paid.

A communication concerning the Ohio State Numismatic Meet was read and the event discussed without anyone voicing their intention of attending.

The subject of a Hobby Exhibit at the Exposition was introduced by Dr. Parker and discussed at length but was finally dropped.

The question of the first meeting in September was discussed and it was decided to have a meeting jointly with an Outing at Point Peake on August 27.

The meeting was then turned over to the Auctioneer who managed to sell Mexican Silver pesos at 25 cents a piece.

Charles W. Foster Sec'y.



1932  
ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XV



First Type 1793.



Second Type 1793.



UNITED STATES CENTS.

NOTICE.

The next meeting of the Association will not be held at the Museum due to the Exposition. But it will be held jointly with the Fourth Outing at Point Peake on Saturday Afternoon August 27th.

We will meet as usual at the Genesee Motor corner of St. Paul and Franklin Sts. and leave promptly at 1:30 P. M.

LIBRARY.

Two books belonging to the Library which have been missing for several years were recently found by Dr. Parker and turned over to the Secretary. They are here added to the Library List and may be borrowed by anyone desiring them.

V-1, Venn, Theodore J. United States Half Cents. 1916.

V-2, Venn, Theodore J. United States Coins. 1921.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF AUGUST 27, 1932.

The 471st meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held jointly with an outing at Point Peake, with Vice-Pres. Sloane Presiding.

The following members were present; Lange, Babin, Horner, Amberg, Plumb, Dr. Peake, F. E. Peake, Kolb, Sloane, French and Foster. Mr. Christman, Mrs. Hart and Donald Hart were present as visitors.

A Communication from Dr. Henderson was read and the subject of who would attend the Ohio Convention was discussed resulting in only two possible attendants, Mr. Bauer and Dr. French.

The Hobby Show sponsored by the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences at the Rochester Exposition was discussed and it was decided that the R. N. A. would have an exhibit of coins.

A schedule was arranged to take care of the exhibit every day during the week, the following to give part of their time Messers. Lange, Sloane, Kolb, Amberg, Babin, F. E. Peake, Leiss.

The Secretary was authorized to prepare a booklet explaining the R. N. A., to hand out at the Exposition.

The meeting was adjourned in favor a Horseshoe Pitching before dark.

Charles W. Foster, Secretary.

HOBBY EXHIBIT.

The Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences sponsored an exhibit of Hobbies at the Rochester Exposition Sept. 5-10. In the R. N. A. Had the following Numismatic Exhibit: a collection of coins every 25 or 50 years since the beginning up to modern times. A collection coins made of different materials: A Shekel of Israel. A set of U. S. Commemorative Half-Dollars. A Pine Tree Shilling and a Washington Quarter.



ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION.



COIN INFORMATION SERVICE.

Sept. 5-10, 1932.



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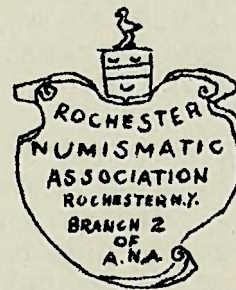
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Charles W. Foster, Secretary ----- 24 Astor Drive.



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### OFFICERS

President: G. J. Lindboe,  
210 East Ave.  
Vice-President: J. W. Sloane,  
73 Evergreen St.  
Treasurer: A. A. Kolb,  
453 N. Clinton Ave.  
Secretary: Charles W. Foster,  
24 Astor Drive.

The Rochester Numismatic Association is a society composed of persons interested in the study and the collecting of coins, medals and paper money. The dues are \$2.00 a year, Junior Members (16 to 21 years of age) \$1.00 a year.

### FEATURES.

The organization owns a collection of coins which is on exhibit in the Coin Room at the Rochester Museum of

Arts and Sciences, Edgerton Park.

It has a numismatic library from which members may borrow books for study.

It strikes each year, a medal for its retiring President, and is probably the only numismatic society to have such a series or record.

### MEETINGS.

The Association holds its meetings the First and Third Tuesday Evening of each Month at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences.

The programs of these meetings consist of Papers, Talks, and Exhibits of Coins. An Auction Sale of Coins is a regular event on meeting nights.

In the summer meetings are held jointly with Outings at various places.

Visitors are Always Welcome.





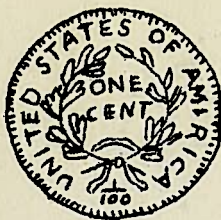
One of the many interesting coins is that shown above the Massachusetts Pine Tree Shilling.

It is interesting because it was one of the very first coins struck in this country. A bit of history concerning the mint master, John Hull, who was responsible for these coins is the fact that when his daughter was married he gave as the Dowry, his daughters weight in Pine Tree Shillings.



1932  
ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XVI

UNITED STATES CENTS.



Third Type 1793-96.

Fourth Type 1796-1807.

NOTICE.

The next regular meeting of the Association will be held Tuesday evening September 20th at 8 P. M., at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences.

PROGRAM.

At this meeting Mr. Bauer will report on the A. N. A. Convention at Los Angeles, Dr. French will report on the Ohio State Convention at Columbus, and Mr. Lange on the R. N. A'S. part of the Hobby Show at the Rochester Exposition. Auction as usual.

WANTED.

1. Papers for the Winter Program.
2. Questions for the notices. ( Inclosed you will find a convenient slip to write them on. Fill in your question and turn it over to the Secretary).

Inclosed you will find one of the booklets used at the Expo. If would like some of these to hand to your friends they may be had by applying to the Secretary.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 20, 1932.

The 472ond meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at 8 P. M. at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, with Vice President Sloane presiding.

The Following members were present; Amberg, Lange, Moore, F. E. Peake, Dr. Peake, Plumb, Grover, Horner, Kolb, Kaufman, Potter, Sloane, Sunday, Liess, French, G. J. Bauer, Brownell and Foster.

A bill to the Secretary for meeting notices and a booklet at the Exposition was ordered paid.

Mr. Lange reported on the Hobby Show at the Exposition telling of the visitors and the interest shown in coins. After the Auction Mr. Bauer reported on his trip to California and showed pictures taken at the A. N. A. Convention/ which was even better than expected.

Dr. French reported on the Ohio State Numismatic Meet at Columbus which was judged to be a big success.

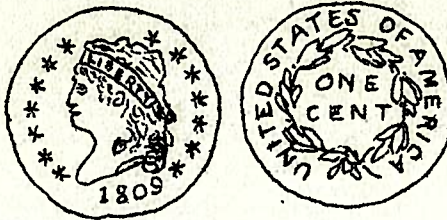
After a vote of thanks to Mr. Bauer and Dr. French the meeting was adjourned until Oct. 4th.

Charles W. Foster, Sec'y.



1932.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XVII



Fifth Type 1808-1814.

UNITED STATES CENTS.

NOTICE.

The next regular meeting of the Association will be held Tuesday evening, ~~October~~ 4th at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences.

PROGRAM.

The regular program will be followed with a discussion of the following questions;

39. Who was the first King to coin money for Ireland?
40. Under whose reign was "Dominus Hiberniae" first used on Irish coins?
41. Why were the Four Pence pieces of Scotland reduced to pass for only Three Pence in England during the reign of Edw. III?
42. What King was the first to used Dei Gratia on English money? When?
43. How long ago could you buy an Uncirculated, 1856 Cent for as low as Four Dollars?

Where is your question?

LIBRARY.

Three members borrowed books from the R. N. A. Library at the last meeting. Are you sure there isn't something there of interest to you?

*Charles W. Foster, Secy.*



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF OCTOBER 4, 1932.

The 473rd meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences at 8 P. M., with President Lindboe presiding.

The following members were present; Plumb, Lange, Grover, Moore, Haringx, Brownell, Amberg, G. J. Lindboe, Horner, Sunday, Woodgate, Kaufman, Parker, Sloane, G. J. Bauer, Kolb, Liess and Foster.

The Minutes of the Previous meeting were read and approved.

As there was no communications and no new business the meeting was turned over to the Secretary for the discussion of the questions. Mr. Bauer brought from his own library a large volume of Ruding's "Annals of English Coinage" which contained the answers to several of the questions and also some of the interesting history of the times.

After the questions were disposed of President Lindboe who had just recently returned from his camp in Canada had a few words to say regarding ~~his~~ absence from the meetings and the complimented the secretary on his work during the Presidents stay in Canada, he also told of the wonderful fishing and mentioned the fact that all the time he was in Canada had been thinking of us.

The meeting was then turned over to the Auctioneer who successfully disposed of a part of the lots offered.

Charles W. Foster, Sec'y.



1932  
ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XVIII



Sixth Type 1816-1839.

UNITED STATES CENTS.

NOTICE.

The next meeting of the Association will be held Tuesday October 18th at 8 P. M., at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences. Mr. George A. Gillette will exhibit a collection of Store Cards and the following questions will be discussed.

QUESTIONS.

44. How many 1804 Silver Dollars are know?
45. What was the earliest coin with the portrait of Napoleon 1st?
46. Is there such a thing as a strictly uncirculated 1807 Half Cent?
47. Why is the Cent of 1799 "Rare"?
48. Will an uncirculated Washington quarter of 1932 be worth \$30.00 in 2032?

WHERE IS YOUR QUESTION?

ANSWERS.

39. Dunald King of Monahan. The English King was King John 1199-1216.
40. Leake says in his Historical Account of English Money that King Edward the 1st was the first that added Dominus Hiberniae to his stile upon the coin; which is the more extraordinary, considering that King John and King Henry the Third both used that title upon their great seals, and both coined money for Ireland.
41. Because the Scotch were in the habit of taking the English coin and recoing it with smaller silver value.
42. King Edward the First 1272-1307.
43. 1895 about 37 years ago.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF OCTOBER 18, 1932.

The 474th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences at 8 P. M., with President Lindboe presiding.

The following members were present; Lange, Kaufman, Brownell, Sunday, Horner, Amberg, Lewis, Plumb, Gillette, Becker, G. J. Lindboe, Sierka, G. J. Bauer, Sloane, French, Parker, and Foster.

A bill for orderly service at the meetings was read and ordered paid.

The time at which the meeting should be called to order was discussed and President Lindboe ruled that he would start the meeting promptly at 8:15 P. M. hereafter.

Mr. Amberg presented a plan to have as <sup>the</sup> subject for a meeting discussion and exhibit: Rochester Tokens and other Local Numismatics. It was decided to have a different subject for each meeting and to start with the Nov. 1st meeting with Election Tokens, Badges Etc.

Mr. Gillette exhibited a large collection of Store Cards arranged alphabetically including quite a few Rochester items. Some of the pieces shown are listed in Adams's book as numbers; 2, 3, 4, 6, 10, 11, 19, 20, 21, 22, 25, 26, 30, 42, 49, 90, 443, 832, 827, 1052, 498, 948, 575, 95, 957, 980, 964, 1028, 465, 466, 474, 475, 507, 1007, 572, 72, 585, 632, 80, 422, 731, 732, 741, 749, 294, 195, 304, 216, 1026, 396, 1064, 303, 308, 131, 61, 59, 137, 150, 171, 211, 225, 7 & 8., and many others not listed by Adams.

After Mr. Gillette's fine exhibit the meeting was adjourned for Cider and Doughnuts as a stimulant for the Auction.

Charles W. Foster, Secretary,



1932  
ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XIX.



Seventh Type 1839-1857.

UNITED STATES CENTS.

NOTICE.

The next meeting of the Association will be held Tuesday November 1, at 8:15 P. M., at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences. The subject for the evening will be "Election Campaign Badges, Tokens, medals etc!" All members are requested to bring an exhibit of what they have on this subject.

CIDER

and

DOUGHNUTS.

QUESTIONS.

48. What is the value of an 1866 nickel cent in uncirculated condition?
49. What was the earliest coin with the portrait of a President of the United States that was used as currency?
50. How did the "Harp" become adopted on the coins of Ireland?
51. Were there 2 types of 5¢ nickels in 1913? Which is the rare type? What is the numismatic value of the rarer one to a collector?

ANSWERS.

44. Thirteen.
45. (Will be answered later.)
46. Yes. T. J. Venn in his book "United States Half Cents" published in 1916 states their value at about \$2.25.
47. (The answer to this question will also be given later, as the space required is much more than that available)
48. The question should read 30¢ instead of \$30.00. The answer is only a matter of opinion as no one can tell what the value will be in a hundred years.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF NOVEMBER 1, 1932.

The 475th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the ROchester Museum of Arts and Sciences at 8:15 P.M. with President Lindboe presiding.

The following members were present; Horner, Gillette, Lange, Amberg, Parker, Plumb, Moore, G. J. Lindboe, Kaufman, Kolb, Sierka, Sloane, Dr. French, Sunday, G. J. Bauer, and Foster. Guests M. Kinsky. Quigley and Frank ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A letter from the Western Reserve Numismatic Club was read regarding their coming annual meeting on the 9th of November.

The application of Mr. J. B. Harzinski for membership was unanimously voted upon and Mr. Harzinski became ~~a~~ member.

A joint meeting with the Jamestown, Medina and Buffalo Clubs to be held in Buffalo was proposed. As we were asked to set a date it was decided that we could be in Buffalo about 3 P. M. Saturday November 19. The secretary was instructed to write to the Buffalo Club.

President Lindboe suggested that the auction be started after the reading of the minutes and corresspondence.

Messers Bauer, French and Gillette exhibited quite a few interesting Election badges and tokens.

After the Auction the questions were discussed and the meeting was adjourned.

Charles W. Foster, Secretary.



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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XX.



Low Number one.

HARD TIME TOKENS.

NOTICE.

The next meeting of the Association will be held Tuesday November 15, at 8:15 P. M., at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences. The subject for the Exhibit and Discussion will be "Hard Time Tokens and Script". Any item on this subject may be brought in, it is not restricted to Low numbers.

ANSWERS.

48. From four to eight dollars.
49. The Lincoln Cent which was first issued in 1909.
50. The "Harp" was a part of the Arms of the House of David, who were early settlers in Northern Ireland.
51. Yes, with and without the mound under the Buffalo; with the mound is the rarer type; fifteen to twenty-five cents.
45. The first authorized French coin bearing a likeness of Napoleon first was struck in 1803.
47. There are several probable answers to this question, one is that it was of pure copper and was used extensively to alloy gold and silver. The second and more probable is shown by the sequence of dies for 1798-99 and 1800 which indicates that more 98's were struck in 99 than those bearing the date 1799.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



Minutes of the Meeting of November 15, 1932.

The 476th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences Tuesday November 15, at 8 P. M. with President Lindboe presiding.

The following members were present: Lange, Harzinski, Horner, Woodgate, Amberg, Plumb, Brownell, G. J. Lindboe, *Gillette* Lewis, Liess, Moore, G. J. Bauer, Sunday, Kolb, Becker and Foster.

Mr. Amberg reported on his recent visit to Mr. King's home and the Secretary was instructed to write a note to Mr. King.

The subject of the Museum's Budget cut was discussed and the Secretary was instructed to draft a statement to the City Council and Newspapers regarding our position with respect to our loan exhibit.

Mr. Sunday reported Mrs. Sloane's illness and the Secretary was instructed to send some flowers.

After the Auction Messers Bauer and Gillette discussed their exhibits of fine Hard Time Tokens recalling various incidents of Jackson's time which are related to the present depression: such as; Perish Credit-Perish Commerce, Perish Commerce-Perish Every<sup>y</sup>thing, and the fight with the U.S. Bank.

With no further business the meeting was then adjourned until Dec. 6.

Charles W. Foster, Secretary.



## Changes of Address.

Anton Budvitis, from 2036 Le Moyne Street, Chicago, Ill., to 1825 Wabansia Avenue, Chicago, Ill.  
 George J. Teed, from 221 Douglas Street, Saginaw, Mich., to 2721 Douglas Street, Saginaw, Mich.  
 The Hon. Mr. Justice Bond, from 130 Macgregor Street, Montreal, Que., Canada, to 1700 Macgregor Street, Montreal, Que., Canada.  
 Harry Herzlich, from 415 Broadway, Brooklyn, N. Y., to 165 Rodney Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
 M. F. Hammond, from 17 Tallman Place, Nyack, N. Y., to 7533 113th Street, Forest Hills, L. I., N. Y.  
 Albert M. Kohn, from 321 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y., to Furnace Brook Farm, Peekskill, N. Y.  
 John A. Gill, from 550 Forest Avenue, Palo Alto, Cal., to P. O. Box 76, Palo Alto, Cal.  
 Lincoln Cornaby, from Ainsworth, Neb., to Bassett, Neb.  
 Costa Pandelides, from 100 Cooper Street, New York, N. Y., to Care S. Oppenheimer & Co., 466 Washington Street, New York, N. Y.  
 Charles H. Spencer, from Care Hotel Del Prado, 53rd Street and Hyde Park Blvd., Chicago, Ill., to Care The Buckingham, St. Augustine, Fla.  
 Wilson C. Emery, from 2787 Main Street, Springfield, Mass., to 89 Wellington Street, Springfield, Mass.  
 Melvin F. Brooks, from P. O. Box M, Vallejo, Cal., to 202 Alameda Street, Vallejo, Cal.  
 George P. Coffin, from Care Western Maine Sanatorium, Greenwood Mountain, Maine, to 29 Gage Street, Augusta, Maine.  
 G. W. Henri, from 27 East Monroe Street, Chicago, Ill., to 55 East Washington Street, Care L. G. Balfour Company, Chicago, Ill.  
 Leif Ronning, from 6027 South Green Street, Chicago, Ill., to 3076 Elston Avenue, Logan Square Station, Chicago, Ill.  
 Carl J. Wicklund, from 589 East 32nd Street, North, Portland, Ore., to 2817 N. E. 32nd Avenue, Portland, Ore.  
 John G. Watson, from Numaholme, Horsley Lane, Ovingham, Prodhoe Station, Northumberland, England, to 13663 Cedargrove Avenue, Detroit, Mich.  
 Fred W. Noske, from 3042 Plankington Bldg., Milwaukee, Wis., to 724 North 6th Street, Milwaukee, Wis.  
 Benjamin di Iorio, from 933 Rutger Street, Utica, N. Y., to 1 Bonnie Brae, Utica, N. Y.  
 T. E. Connor, from 222 West 2nd Street, Webb City, Mo., to 781 Walnut Street, Springfield, Mo.  
 H. A. Brand, from 1332 Union Trust Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio, to 708-10 Keith Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio.

HARRY T. WILSON, General Secretary.

## Deaths

DR. GEORGE P. FRENCH. 11/25/32

After an illness of two days of pneumonia, Dr. George P. French, a member of the Rochester Numismatic Association and the A. N. A., died at his home, 15 Clifton street, Rochester, on November 25, 1932. He was 67 years old. The funeral took place on November 28, services being conducted at the home at 8.30 o'clock and at Immaculate Conception Church at 9 o'clock. The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Joseph C. Cameron, pastor, officiated. The pallbearers were members of the R. N. A. and included Wm. H. Amberg, George J. Baner, A. H. Plumb, J. W. Horner, William F. Sunday and George A. Gillette. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Nina Shaffer; a grandson, George F. Hoare, a granddaughter, two nieces and four nephews. Mrs. French died July 8, 1927.

Although not in the best of health the last two or three years, he was not confined to the house and was able to attend to his professional duties and business affairs up to the time of his last illness. Only four or five days

previously he had attended the funeral of Edson J. Woodgate, a fellow-member of the R. N. A.

Dr. French was born in Rochester in 1865 and had lived there his entire life. He attended Rochester schools, including Cathedral High School, and was graduated from Columbia Medical College in 1888. Before he began the practice of medicine he served as an interne at St. Mary's Hospital.

He was best known to numismatists by the collection of large cents formed by him over a period of forty years. This collection included practically all the known die varieties of large cents and consisted of 832 pieces, nearly every one of which was in uncirculated condition. He had exhibited this collection at several A. N. A. conventions, and it was perhaps the foremost of its kind ever formed. Three of the 1793 cents were valued at \$5,000 each. About three years ago he sold the collection to B. Max Mehl, of Fort Worth, Texas, at a price said to be \$50,000. It has since been dispersed and specimens are to be found in many collections of large cents. The sale is said to have been the largest transaction involving a single set of coins ever recorded in this country. Although this series occupied most of his attention, he did not confine himself entirely to it. His collection of other coins is said to contain a specimen of the 1853 half dollar with arrows and rays, one of less than half a dozen known.

Nor did he confine himself to coins in collecting. His home was a veritable museum for almost any object that was rare, odd or of interest for any reason. Among his most valued possessions was a collection of firearms, which included practically every type of gun used in the United States since the War of the Revolution. He also owned a collection of clocks, among which was one made in 1558, one of the oldest running clocks in the world. Included in his collection is said to be a Peachblow vase, an exact duplicate of one bought by a New York collector for \$24,000 and presented to the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

Dr. French had been attending conventions almost uninterruptedly since the A. N. A. first met in his home city of Rochester in 1912. He enjoyed the fraternal spirit that is so much in evidence at these gatherings and to which he contributed to such a great degree. He loved the companionship of collectors, and like Abou Ben Adhem, it can truthfully be recorded opposite his name, "he loved his fellow-man." Easily one of the most popular figures at any gathering of collectors, he had a personality that won for him their warm friendship. Whether in the rugged health of middle age or in the uncertainty which hovered over him in the last few years of his life, he was always the same jovial, care-free, democratic doctor, and of the many times it has been our privilege to be in his company we do not remember seeing him in any other mood.

In his death numismatics loses an enthusiastic collector, the R. N. A. and the A. N. A. a valued member, and A. N. A. conventions and other gatherings of collectors a colorful figure.

Following is a copy of a letter addressed to the family of Dr. French by C. B. Sampson, secretary of the Chautauqua Coin, Stamp and Curio Club, Jamestown, N. Y.:

"The death of Dr. French was called to the attention of this club at a meeting held last evening, and after preliminary remarks many personal anecdotes were told by the president and leading members relating to their contact with this big, generous and well-informed collector of coins, stamps and other articles, and recalling his many visits to our city and our club, (of which he became Honorary Life Member No. 3). The secretary was instructed to convey to you our deepest regrets at his passing, and the hope that your grief may be lightened in knowing that all who have met Dr. French appreciate your loss and mourn with you. The members of this club wish to convey their personal sympathy with this message and will spread same on its minutes."

EDSON J. WOODGATE.

Edson J. Woodgate, a member of the Rochester Numismatic Association, died suddenly on November 19 at his home, 51 Superior street, Rochester. He was also a member of the A. N. A. and attended the Cincinnati conven-



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ROCHESTER, NEW YORK

November 30, 1932.

Mayor Owen and members of the Rochester City Council:-

The failure of the City Council to adequately provide for the physical properties of the Department of the Municipal Museum and to make possible the prosecution of it's work is one of the tragedies of the present administration. It appears that the action prompting the cutting of the museum's budget was done without any study of it's important work and responsibility to the community. It was as ruthless as it was arbitrary.

This and similar action has at various times shown the incapacity of the administration to enlist the support and sympathies of the cultural agencies of our City, thereby causing the loss of much valuable property that otherwise might have become an asset to the City. We feel that numerous benefactors with collections and bequests must now believe that the municipality cannot assure it's citizens that it will not break faith with them. It is with this conviction that the Rochester Numismatic Association withdraws it's intended bequest to the City of Rochester of it's collection of coins and numismatic articles now conditionally loaned and valued as one of the greatest in any museum. This organization cannot leave it's property unprotected, even though that property was eventually to become that of the City.

We feel that this deplorable situation is unnecessary, that it was ill-considered and that it spells destruction to many tens of thousands of dollars worth of valuable exhibits, the loss of which the enlightened future will deeply deplore.

Sincerely yours,

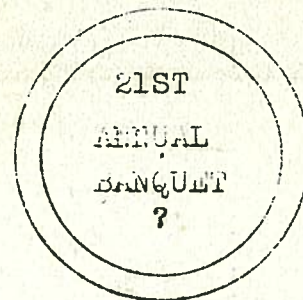
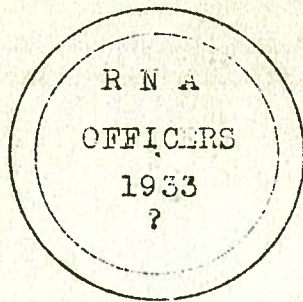
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G. J. Lindboe, President.



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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XXI.



NOTICE.

The next meeting of the Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences, December 6th at 8 P. M. The regular order of business calls for the nomination of Officers for 1933 and preparations for 21st annual banquet must be decided.

Due to the amount of business to be covered at this meeting the questions, discussion of exhibits etc. have been set aside temporarily, however we shall have the Auction.

Eleven P. M. is the dead line for the adjournment of the meetings, so make it a point to be on time.

The Libraries of the A. N. A. and the R. N. A. are maintained for your benefit. Are you using them? The only dividend this investment pays comes through their use.

Do not feel that you must participate in the Auction if you attend the meetings. The Auction is not the primary purpose of the meetings and we are always glad to see you.

Now is the time to gain information and plan your Post-Depression collection.

*Charles W. Foster* Secretary.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF DEC. 6, 1932.

The 477th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at 8 P. M. at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, with President Lindboe presiding.

The following members were present; Amberg, Harzinski, Lange, Sierka, Moore, Kaufman, Horner, Dr. Peake, Plumb, Brownell, Sunday, Liess, G. J. Bauer, Parker, G. J. Lindboe, Babin, Kolb, and Foster.

Communications were read from Mr. Wormser, Mr. Sloane, the Woodgate Family, and Mr. Branagan of Johnstown, Pa.

Bills for flowers and for a medal commemorating the completion of the Erie Canal in 1825 which was purchase by Mr. Bauer for our collection were ordered paid.

President Lindboe appointed Messers Bauer, Horner and Plumb to act as a nominating committee for officers for 1933. This com-reported the following candidates who were accepted and nominations closed.

President: Mr. J. W. Sloane,  
Vice President

&

Secretary : Mr. Charles W. Foster.

Treasurer: Mr. A. A. Kolb.

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The Twenty-first annual Banquet was discussed and it was decided to hold it on the regular meeting night Jan. 3rd at the Hotel Rochester. It was further decided to have it a stag affair. The Secretary was appointed a committee of one to make the arrangements.

The Secretary was instructed to write a letter to the families Mr. Woodgate, Dr. French and Mrs. Sloane expressing our sympathy in their bereavement.

The subject of our position with respect to the Museum and the City of Rochester was discussed at length. President Lindboe appointed Messers Bauer, Gillette and Sunday to act as an investigating committee on a resolution passed June 5, 1928 and to report on what course of action it would be best to take.

After the A ction the meeting was adjourned until Dec. 20th.

Charles W. Foster, Sec'y.

*Mr. H. C. Ziegler Sec'y-Treas.*



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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XXII.



NOTICE.

The next meeting of the Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences, December 20, at 8 P. M. The main order of business is the Election of Officers for 1933. The following were nominated at the last meeting;

President: Mr. J. W. Sloane.

Vice-President

&

Secretary: Mr. C. W. Foster.

Treasurer: Mr. A. A. Kolb.

At this meeting the Secretary will conduct a brief True and False Quiz on the questions that appeared on the notices during the past year. It will be well to look over your back notices and be sure to bring a Pencil with you.

THE TWENTY FIRST ANNUAL BANQUET

Will be held January 3, at 6:30, at the Hotel Rochester, the dinner will be \$1.25 per plate and tickets will be on sale by the Secretary at this meeting.

Do you have a copy of all of the notices? Check up and fill your spaces at this meeting.

Do you have a Numismatic Scrap-Book in which to keep them?

I wish to take this opportunity to  
wish you all a very Merry Christmas!

Charles W. Foster  
Secretary.



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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XLIII.

EXAMINATION.

This Quiz is based on the 51 questions and answers which have appeared on the notices during the past year.

A statement is made, if you find it correct write YES after it, if you find it incorrect write NO in the space.

STATEMENTS.

1. Permission to coin money was granted Maccabeus by Antiochus. \_\_\_\_\_
2. The Tribute money of Rome had no particular value. \_\_\_\_\_
3. The Liberty Cap only dates back to 1793. \_\_\_\_\_
4. The dating of coins began about 1434. \_\_\_\_\_
5. Leather was first used as money by the Romans. \_\_\_\_\_
6. Burmah and Egypt used money made of glass. \_\_\_\_\_
7. The earliest Washington coins were struck in 1793. \_\_\_\_\_
8. The "Unity State" cent was a pattern for later cents. \_\_\_\_\_
9. The Island of Samoa has it's own coinage. \_\_\_\_\_
10. The  $\frac{1}{4}$  Obol of Greece was the smallest coin circulated. \_\_\_\_\_
11. The Somner Island Shilling was the first for use in  
America, \_\_\_\_\_
12. Of the Willow Tree coins the 12pence is the Rarest. \_\_\_\_\_
13. The popular name of the 2nd type 1793 Cent is Chain. \_\_\_\_\_
14. The first coin to bear IN GOD WE TRUST was the 1866 5¢. \_\_\_\_\_
15. "Dominus Hiberniae" was added only lately to Irish coins. \_\_\_\_\_
16. King John was the first English King to coin money for  
Ireland. \_\_\_\_\_
17. There is only one official U. S. Washington coin. \_\_\_\_\_
18. "Dei Gratia" was first placed on English coins by Edw. I. \_\_\_\_\_
19. The "Harp" on Irish coins originated with John I. \_\_\_\_\_
20. The Lincoln cent is the first circulating U.S. coin to  
bear a portrait of a President of the U. S. \_\_\_\_\_

Each correct answer counts 5 points for you, change with your neighbor for correcting.

B.W.H. Sec'y.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF DEC. 20TH, 1932.

The 478th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences at 8P. M. with President Lindboe presiding.

The following members were present; Lange, Amberg, Plumb, Kaufman, Horner, Dr. Peake, Gillette, Sloane, Kolb, Leiss, Sunday, Parker, G. J. Lindboe, Grover, Babin, Reddick, G. J. Bauer, and Foster. Mr. John L. Gleichauf of 126 Sanford St., attended as a visitors.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Banquet committee reported on the arrangements for the 21st annual Banquet.

A bill to the Secretary for postage and notices was ordered paid.

*Mr. Bauer presents a lot of Rochester medals which were the*  
At the order of the members President Lindboe cast one  
*Gift of Mr. J. B. Bernstein. The Sec'y was instructed to write*  
Ballot for the election of the following officers for 1933.  
*Mrs. Bernstein of our thanks and appreciation and extend*  
President - J. W. Sloane.

Vice-President  
& Secretary -- Charles W. Foster.

Treasurer -- ALphonse A. Kolb.

Mr. Kolb made a report of our treasury's standing and it was decided to reduced our expenditures by eliminating one meeting notice a month.

After the Auction the meeting was adjourned until Jan. 3rd.

Charles W. Foster, Sec'y.



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Club Bulletin I.

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This is the first bulletin of a new service rendered by the A. N. A. Library to the secretaries of the clubs affiliated with the A. N. A.

The series is designed to aid the secretaries by supplying material for parts of their numismatic programs.

QUESTIONS.

1. What are the methods used to determine counterfeit coin and paper money?
2. Why are large copper cents classified as A-1, A-2, etc. and with other letters before numbers?
3. What is the value of the Japanese Yen at present in our money?
4. Why do Doughty's numbers run into the 100d's and Andrews' only to 10 or 15?
5. When, where and by whom were the early coins of Connecticut struck?
6. Explain the different A numbers. Can the average collector classify them without extensive study?
7. When, where, and by whom were the early coins of Massachusetts struck?
8. What United States' Patterns were counterfeited in England?
9. When was the first coin made? Who made it?
10. When, where, and by whom was the "Ides of March" struck?

Bulletin II will have the answers to these questions along with more questions.

Any questions that your members would like to have answered can easily be placed in these lists by communicating with the librarian.

Charles W. Foster, Librarian.



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ANSWERS.

1. Counterfeit coins are determined by comparison with a specimen known to be genuine. The weight, size and design are compared. If this fails, assay tests are made to determine the metal used and its purity. Paper money is compared in a like manner as to paper and ink.

2. Cents classified in this way refers to classifications set up by recognized authorities on Cents for a particular period or date. They are classified as to the dies used for Obv. and Rev., or both for these years. The leading authorities are as follows: Hayes 1794 H-1 etc. Crosby 1793 Clect. Doughty 1797-1816 D-1, Andrews 1816-1857 A-, A2, etc. Newcomb 1801-2-3, and Clapp 1798-99.

3. The modern Japanese Yen is worth about 50 cents in ours.

4. Doughty's numbers run in sequence while Andrews numbers run in a series for each date and each minor variety is given a separate number.

6. The different A numbers refer to the different variations occurring in the dies. It is generally agreed that a collector in order to classify these cents must have a copy of Andrews or a reprint and that quite a little study must be made to classify them properly.

5. The first coins of Connecticut were struck in 1737 in Granby by John Highley a blacksmith without patent from England.

7. 1652, Boston, New England Shilling by John Hull.

8.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  and 5 Dollar Gold pieces by Kettle, 1803.

9. No one knows.

10. The "Ides of March" was probably struck in Rome about 43 B. C. The question remains as to who struck it.

Note: All answers on these Bulletins are not considered final, should you have others we would be glad to hear from you.

QUESTIONS.

11. How many Mints did Alexander the Great have?

12. How many 1913 Liberty Head Nickels are known? Are their owners known?

13. What were the first coins struck by the Lydians in the 8th Century B. C.?

14. What were the largest and smallest gold coins struck?

15. Why should rubber be kept away from coins?

SECRETARY: A suggestion has been made that these questions be used as homework and asked at the meeting, having members change papers with their neighbor for correction as in Grammar School days.

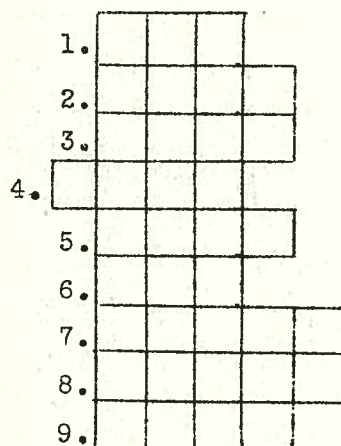
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NUMISMATIC PUZZLE NUMBER I



The object is to find a vertical word meaning something important to many collectors, by filling in the horizontal words.

KEY

1. Abbreviation of best state of preservation, 2. Mutilated, unidentifiable coins, 3. Evenly worn with major and minor devices distinct, sharpness of design removed, 4. With just major designs plain, 5. Much worn with little relief above the surface, 6. Abbreviation of adjective meaning nearly, 7. Abbreviation of adjective used to define a shiny coin, 8. Struck for collectors only, 9. Similar to number one.

The above Key leads to words that all Numismatists SHOULD be able to recognize immediately.

ANSWERS.

11. Between six and seven hundred.
12. Five are known to exist, but the owners are unknown.
13. Electrum Staters.
14. The largest coin is a Japanese piece having a face value of about \$75.00, and the smallest coin is probably the 1/32 Ducat of Nuremburg.
15. Rubber should be kept away from coins because it has been treated with sulphur makes a black coating on the coins. In the case of silver coins it forms silver sulphide.

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QUESTIONS.

16. Why were the Private Gold Issues of California Struck?  
Where were they minted?
17. Was the 16 to 1 Silver Standard ever made a law?
18. What was the first coin to bear E PLURIBUS UNUM?  
b. " " " " " " " IN GOD WE TRUST?  
c. " " " " " " " a Human portrait?  
d. " " " " " " " a symbol of Christianity?  
e. " " " " " " " a portrait of Christ?
19. What was the purpose of the Trade Dollar? Over what period  
were they issued?
20. What is Patina? Potin? Electrum? Electrototype? Planchet?
21. What is the Rarest U. S. Half-cent, Half-dime, Three Cent  
(Silver)(Nickel), Two-cent, Five-cent, Twenty-cent piece?
22. What conditions make a coin rare?
23. How many different countries have issued coins in Platinum?
24. What is commonly called the King of Rarities by Numismatist?
25. What are Bracteates? Are they important? Why?

ANSWERS.

NUMISMATIC PUZZLE NUMBER I.

1. UNC. for uncirculated.  
2. POOR.  
3. FINE.  
4. GOOD.  
5. FAIR.  
6. ABT. for about.  
7. BRILL. for Brilliant.  
8. PROOF.  
9. MINT.

- 1 UNC  
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ANSWERS.

16. The Private Gold Coinage of California was brought about by the necessity for money in the early days. Most of the issues were minted in San Francisco.
17. Yes, in 1878 and repealed in 1883.
- 18(a) 1786 New Jersey Cent, (b) 1864 Two Cent Piece, (c) Coins Alexander the Great, (d) Gold Coin of Constans, (e) A bronze coin of Johannes Zimisces about 970 A. D.
19. The trade dollars were made to facilitate trade with China and other countries. 1873 to 1885 inclusive.
20. Patina is oxidation or coating on copper and bronze coins. Potin is a combination of silver, iron, lead and tin. Electrum is a combination of gold and silver. Planchet is the disc of metal upon which the design is struck making it a coin. Electrotypes are copies of coins made by an electric process.
21. 1796, 1799, 1802, 1864, 1877, 1873, 1877, 1894-S. 1876-CC.
22. The scarcity of a coin is caused by a limited number struck or preserved, and by a great demand for a particular coin.
23. About seven countries.
24. The 1804 Dollar.
25. Bracteates are uniface pieces, whose raised design forms the inverted and incuse design of the reverse. Bracteates are derived from the word bractea, a thin sheet of metal, they began to appear in the twelfth century, their diameter goes up from 50 mm. and permitted the die-cutter to render artistic representations in the coin design. In this way the Bracteates are the first medieval coins which have significance for the history of art and are of great importance.

QUESTIONS.

26. What is the rarest U. S. Quarter-dollar, Half-dollar, Silver dollar, Gold dollar, Quarter-Eagle, Half-eagle, Eagle, Double eagle, Three dollars gold, Four dollars gold?
27. Where did the following phrase come from "Don't take any wooden money"?
28. When was the first coin club organized in the United States?
29. What are the different grades of condition? Why is it important that a standard classification be used?
30. When and what country used the Tortoise on the reverse of its coins? The Owl? The Olive Branch? This question refers to the first use of these symbols.

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ANSWERS.

26. 1823, 1796, 1804, 1861-D, 1797, 1822, 1875, 1849, 1875, 1879.
27. & 28. As yet these have not been answered. Any information on these two questions will be greatly appreciated.
29. Proof, Uncirculated, Very Fine, Fine, Very Good, Good, Very Fair, Fair, and Poor. There are also a few others in between each of these which are used in an attempt to classify more specifically.  
The importance in having a Standard Classification is that every collector may know what state of preservation a coin is in without seeing the coin. This aids the study and trade of coins when properly used.
30. Aegina 700 to 800 B. C., Athens about 400 B. C., Athens about 200 to 300 B. C.

A PENNY FOR YOUR THOUGHTS.

The answers to the following thirteen questions are all found on the Indian Head Cent from 1864 to 1900. It should be very easy for an observing Numismatist to get them all right.  
Secretary Note: In using this it is well to provide each member with a good specimen of this coin, it must be at least Fine in condition.

QUESTIONS

ANSWERS

1. An emblem of royalty?
2. A Messenger?
3. A symbol of victory?
4. A mode of punishment?
5. A weapon?
6. A devoted young man?
7. A piece of armor?
8. A portion of a hill?
9. A Place of worship?
10. A Cultivated flower?
11. Youth and Old Age?
12. One way of expressing matrimony?
13. An animal?

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It has been suggested that the member who finds all the correct answers to these questions, be allowed to keep his Cent, for he will have earned it.

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ANSWERS.

A PENNY FOR YOUR THOUGHTS.

QUESTIONS.

ANSWERS.

- |                                      |                   |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. An emblem of royalty?             | A crown.          |
| 2. A Messenger?                      | One (Cent) Sent.  |
| 3. A Symbol of Victory?              | Wreath of Laurel. |
| 4. A Mode of Punishment?             | Stripes.          |
| 5. A Devoted Young Man?              | A Beau.           |
| 6. A Weapon?                         | An Arrow.         |
| 7. A Piece of Armor?                 | A Shield.         |
| 8. A Portion of a Hill?              | Brow.             |
| 9. A Place of Worship?               | Temple.           |
| 10. A Cultivated Flower?             | Tulip (Two Lips). |
| 11. Youth and Old Age?               | 18 and 64 to 99.  |
| 12. One Way of Expressing Matrimony? | United.           |
| 13. An Animal?                       | Hare (Hair).      |

QUESTIONS.

31. What is the largest Silver coin of modern times? The largest copper coin?
32. On the coins of what countries do we find the Elephant? Prowling Lion? Sun-Lion? Pine Cone? Triune? Peacock? Crowned Head? The head of St. John on a charger?
33. What Indian is supposed to be portrayed on the U. S. Cent?
34. What is the meaning of S. C. on the ancient Romans Coins?
35. Under whose reigns were the first copper coins of England issued?
36. Why are there no portraits on Mohammedan Coins?
37. If two coins of Morocco are dated 245 and 1288, what are their dates A. D.?
38. When did China begin to issue Silver Coins?
39. What U. S. Coin has ten repetitions of the number 13?
40. What was the equivalent of an ounce of Silver in Bronze during the reign of Alexander Severus 222-235 A. D. ?

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ANSWERS.

31. 50 Pesetas of Spain. 10 Daler of Sweden.
32. Assyria, Carolina Penny, Rome, Siam, Ceylon, Syria, Julius Caesar: Abyssinnia, Sierraleone; Persia: Austria, Roman Empire: Isle of Man, Sicily, Syracuse: Germany, England, France: Malta.
33. Pocahontas.
34. By Decree of the Senate.
35. Charles I and James I.
36. The coins of Morocco have no portraits because their religion forbids the practice.
37. 859 A. D. and 1871 A. D.
38. China began Silver Coinage in 1890.
39. The Quarter-Dollar issued from 1892-1916. 13 Stars, 13 letters in motto, 13 marginal feathers in each wing, 13 parallel lines in shield, 13 horizontal bars, 13 arrow heads in one claw, 13 leaves on the branch in the other, and 13 letters in the word Quarter-dollar.
40. An ounce of Silver was equivalent to 10 pounds of Bronze.

QUESTIONS.

41. What is Obsidional Money, and by what other name is it called?
42. Give the names of Six Places where this money was used?
43. What country was the first to use Iron Money? Are specimens of this coinage common?
44. What were the coins made of that were in use by the Britons in 55 B. C.?
45. When and where were the Louisiana Cents Struck?

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ANSWERS.

41. Obsidional Coins or Siege Pieces as they are generally called, are stamped pieces of metal struck during sieges or or other times of necessity, when the customary money became scarce.
42. England, France, Germany, Ireland and several different cities of Holland including Leyden.
43. Sparta was the first to use iron money. Although there are specimens existing today.
44. Tin, Brass, Iron, Gold and Silver Rings.
45. The Louisiana Cents were struck in Paris in 1767.

QUESTIONS.

46. What is the name of the first money mentioned in history and it's value in modern money?
47. What is a Proof Coin, and how is it made to give a mirror-like effect?
48. What kind of money was the Gun Money of James II? How did it derive it's name? What peculiarity is unique with this coinage? When was it issued?
49. How much would a Gold Brick the size of an ordinary building brick be worth? What would it weigh?
50. When and where was the Kentucky Cent struck? Why is it called a Kentucky Cent?

This ends the questions for this year. A true and false quiz covering these questions will follow shortly, so review your back numbers and get familiar with the answers.

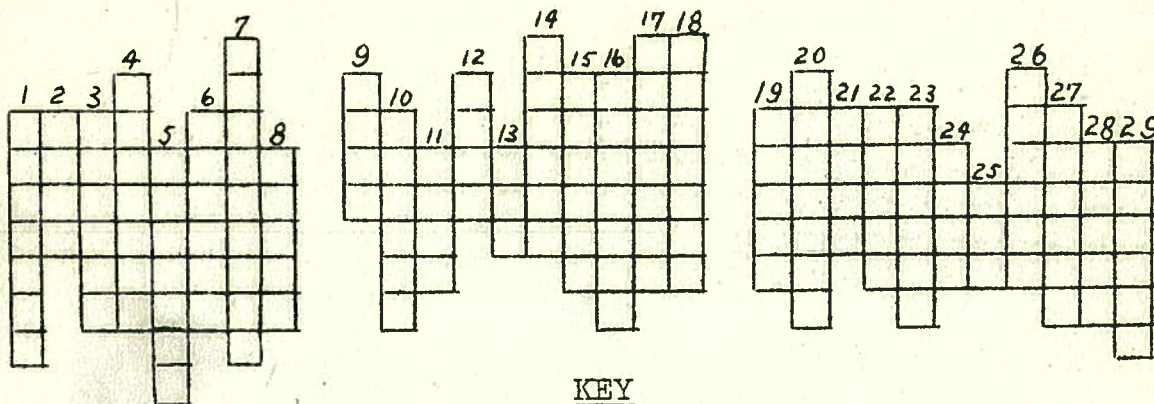
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NUMISMATIC PUZZLE NUMBER TWO.



KEY

The object is to find the horizontal words which when used to-gether have a meaning to many numismatists. These words are found by filling in all of the vertical words indicated by the following;

1. A commemorative half dollar; 2. Form or shape of an ancient weight; 3. A Jewish coin; 4. A part of a dollar; 5. Goddess of wisdom; 6. A metal; 7. The first to have his likeness on a coin; 8. Shape of ancient Chinese coin; 9. Goddess adorning ancient coins; 10. Coin (Latin); 11. German coin; 12. Plural of Real; 13. Coin of Peru; 14. Small U. S. coins; 15. Large Prussian coin; 16. Double headed eagle coin of Geneva; 17. First to coin gold; 18. Ancient Greek silver coin; 19. French coin; 20. Coin of Turkey; 21. Mexican coin; 22. Indian coin; 23. Gold coin of Chile; 24. Silver coin of Italy; 25. A Roman bronze coin weighing nearly a pound; 26. Principal gold coin of the ancient Greek states; 27. Dutch coin; 28. Former English gold coin; 29. Sun's impression on a coin.

ANSWERS.

46. Shekel about 1900 B. C. Approximately 40%.
47. A proof coin is one that is struck for collectors, the planchet is highly polished and the dies barnished before striking. Proofs are generally made with new dies so that the design will be sharp and clear cut.
49. It would be worth approx. \$8000.00 and weigh about 40 pounds.
48. Necessity. It's name is derived from the material used, that is, it was made of the metal taken from old guns etc. It's unique feature lies in the fact that it was issued monthly. From July 1689 to Oct. 1690 inclusive.
50. The Kentucky Cent was struck in England in 1791, and derives it's name from the K at the head of the pyramid on it's reverse.

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EXAMINATION.

In this True and False quiz on the 50 questions and answers that have appeared on the Bulletins, a statement is given. If you believe it to be true mark an X under Yes, if not make your mark under No. Each question counts 4 points.

No.	Statement.	:Yes.	:No.
1.	Counterfeit coins are determined by comparison.	_____	_____
2.	The modern Japanese Yen is worth about \$1.00.	_____	_____
3.	The first coins of Conn. were struck in 1727.	_____	_____
4.	" " " " Mass. " " by John Higley.	_____	_____
5.	No one knows when the first coin was made.	_____	_____
6.	Alexander had only two hundred mints.	_____	_____
7.	There are only five 1913 Liberty Head Nickels known.	_____	_____
8.	The first coins struck by the Lydians were of silver.	_____	_____
9.	The "Eagle" of 1795 was the first coin to bear E Pluribus Unum.	_____	_____
10.	Rubber when near coins will cause them to tarnish.	_____	_____
11.	IN GOD WE TRUST was first used on the 1866 Nickel.	_____	_____
12.	The Trade Dollar was used for trade with China.	_____	_____
13.	The 1877 Twenty Cent piece is the rarest of the series.	_____	_____
14.	" 1894-S is the rarest dime.	_____	_____
15.	The 1799 Cent is called the "King of Rarities".	_____	_____
16.	The 1822 Five Dollar gold piece is common.	_____	_____
17.	Uncirculated is the highest grade of condition.	_____	_____
18.	Seven countries issued platinum coins.	_____	_____
19.	An electrotpe is a copy of a genuine coin.	_____	_____
20.	The Mohammedans placed portraits on their coins.	_____	_____
21.	China began to issue silver coins in 1891.	_____	_____
22.	The first copper coins of England were struck under George III.	_____	_____
23.	S. C. on Roman coins means "By Decree of the People"	_____	_____
24.	Germany was the first country to use iron money.	_____	_____
25.	The Gun Money of James the II was issued yearly.	_____	_____

ANSWER TO PUZZLE NUMBER TWO.

1. Alabama; 2. Lamb; 3. Shekel; 4. Quarter; 5. Minerva; 6. Nickel;  
7. Alexander; 8. Knife; 9. Juno; 10. Cuneus; 11. Mark; 12. Reis;  
13. Sol; 14. Trimes; 15. Thaler; 16. Patagon; 17. Lydians; 18.  
Drachma; 19. Franc; 20. Piaster; 21. Peso; 22. Oboli; 23. Escudo;  
24. Lira; 25. Aes; 26. Stater; 27. Stiver; 28. Noble; 29. Incuse.

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EXAMINATION ANSWERS.

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|-----------------------------------|--|
| 1. Yes.                           | 13. No. (1876-CC).                               |
| 2. No. (50¢).                     | 14. Yes.   |
| 3. No. (1737).                    | 15. No. (1804 dollar).                           |
| 4. No. (John Hull).               | 16. No. (only coin not in<br>the Newcomer Coll.) |
| 5. Yes.                           | 17. No. (Proof).                                 |
| 6. No. (600 to 700).              | 18. Yes.   |
| 7. Yes. (Numismatist April 1928). | 19. Yes.   |
| 8. No. (Electrum).                | 20. No. (Religion forbade it).                   |
| 9. No. (New Jersey Cent 1786).    | 21. No. (In 1890).                               |
| 10. Yes.                          | 22. No. (Chas. I & James I).                     |
| 11. No. (1864 Two cent piece).    | 23. Yes.   |
| 12. Yes.                          | 24. No. (Sparta).                                |
| 25. No. (Monthly).                |  |

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SECRETARY'Y REPORT 1932.

The secretary regrets that he has not had time to prepare a longer and more complete report, however, the following are a few outstanding facts for the the past year.

New members -three one less than last year.

Average attendance was 19.3 per meeting as compared to 23.75 during 1931.

There were four outings during the summer;

Three at Point Peake and one at Mr. Potters.

The Horse Pitching Contest was won by Mr. Sloane 1, Mr. Leiss 2, and Mr. Bauer 3.

A total of 25 meeting were held during the year, and the following have a perfect record of attendance.

W. H. AMBERG.

A. H. PLUMB.

PAUL LANGE.

CHARLES FOSTER.

*J. W. Horner* three  
Mr. Horner missed only one meeting, Mr. Bauer ~~two~~ and Messers. Sloane and Kolb four. The balance missed five or more.

During the past year we lost three members; K. Werner Heye, Edson J. Woodgate, and Dr. Geo. P. French.

Charles W. Foster, Sec'y.